TRAIN

DISASTER:

SABOTAGE

SUSPECTED

Taguasco, Cuba, Dec. 17.

Two speeding passenger

trains collided head-on near

this central Cuban provin-

cial town today in a wreck

that killed 19 persons and

injured 18. Officials sus-

A wrongly-set switch-be-

lloved to have been thrown by

enti-government saboteurs -

threw an express train headed

for Havana lifle, the path of u

pected sabotage.



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COMMENT OF THE DAY

Lone Voice

TR Nurl El Sald, Iraqi IVA Prime Minister, is to be commended for his bold denunciation of reckless Arab nationalism and Communist subversion in the Middle East. It is quite that the "foolish inckeys" of Russia he has Egypt and the Syrian President. He condemns them both by name for irresponsibility in international

of a man of courage. They are also the words of a cheering to the West, however, that there is at least one Arab nation that is realistic and bold enough to condemn the two greatest stability in the area. Mr Nuri El Sald's indictment of Soviet infiltration and his disclosures of how come as a timely warning to Arab states who believe to independence.

tries like Egypt, Syrin and and fully equipped." many Arabs unreceptive to warnings of this kind. The pity is that even Nurl's warning is not likely to Middle Enstern neighbours, salvage equipment. His Western affiliations are suspected and he is regarded by many nationalists; as an obstacle to Arab would divide a part of

Regrettable as it seems, the national crew, only way Arabs will learn English chief engineer, munism will the first-even before the Egyptians, The only hope is

Nehru In USA

wide interest. It comes at a time when a number of American individuals have made strenuous efforts to clear up misunderstandings in both countries about the other's intentions, "Surely | nothing but advantage can come from it," writes one! commentator. American This must be the hope of statesmen can unfold a impressive agreements at the end of

their meeting.

The point to be made here is visibility good, that this must not be redication of failure. Even regrettable, many will compare the Washington talks with those Mr Nehru has had in Moscow and any sharp contrast noted is almost certain to Soviet air space and had warn- waterfront. clusion. For example unless would be fully responsible for Mr Nehru brings promises of the release of all Americans held in China, and it · would be surprising if he did, no reasonable person Fire can expect the Indian Premier to influence American poncy on Uning in any way, at headquarters on Cyprus and hydrogen-bomb tests, mentrality, military pacts, the Middle East—and even Fire wiped out nearly one that the withdrawal was to be Hungary—are subjects on the Middle East—and even Fire wiped out nearly one that the withdrawal was to be policy on China in any way. Again, hydrogen-bomb tests, Hungary—are subjects on third of this small Korean vil- completed today. which India and America lago yesterday, destroying from hold differing or conflicting 50 . to 70 houses and making viewpoints. The need, how-some 400 people homeless, ever is less to resolve these. The police said, however, that differences immediately—there were no scrious casualplainly an impossible task—than to clear nway ossified misconceptions that persist by five fighters of the US and the other's intentions. These, it will be found, are the greatest barrier to understanding, and the extent to which this barrier is removed will largely determine the five here in less than two success of this meeting.

Industry to the alarm the US the city to control the populare two days before the city to control the city to control the city to control the city two days before the city to control the city two days before the city to control the city two days before the city to control the city two days before the city to control the city two days before the city to control the city two days before the city to control the city two days before the city to control the city to control the city two days the city to control the city two days the city to control the city to control the city to cont plainly an impossible task- ties.

## Sets Sail On Hunt For Sunken Treasure

Penang, Dec. 16. Captain W. J. Havens, Australian skipper of the yacht Gold Seeker left in mind are Nasser of Penang in his yacht today on his second attempt to find sunken gold near Auckland harbour, New Zealand.

affairs. These are the words | Captain Havens, who comes from Bellevue Hill, Sydney, believes the gold lies many fathoms down in a Boston lone voice in a hostile clipper, General Grant, which It must be sank in 1866 off Auckland, His first attempt to reach Auckland failed in 1952 when his boat the Absitomen wrecked 150 miles north Port Said. That attempt cast. him £2,000 sterling, Captain Havens said.

#### LUCKY ESCAPE

Cupiain Havens has already Moscow diplomats went to had one lucky escape on this work in his own country trip his ship was nearly taken by pirates off the coast of Arabia -and he is taking no chances. "We expect the next part of that Russia can help them the trip to be just as dangerous" he said today, "We have a plan THESE dangers need to be to deal with any pirate gangs. hammered home in coun. The Gold Seeker is fully armed

Jordan. Unfortunately the Captain Havens thinks he will Anglo - French a ctlon have no trouble in finding the against Egypt has left sunker gold ship, "I know where the old clipper is and I am con-Adent I can locate it" he said.

Two crack divers are to join the expedition in Australia, he said. They will use underwater evoke much support among television and other modern

#### INTERNATIONAL CREW

treasure found among his inter-There is of the true menace of com- Wilson, of 239 Portman Road to Mairia Hill, Lendon and a experience practical sub- Swedish chief mate, Ebbe version. Syrians may be Jakobsson, of Lindalisgaton 13, Stockholm.

Other members include an that realistic men among Tipperary, Ireland, and a Welshthem will wake up to the man, Bob Aberston, of 47 Lake danger before it is too late, Avenue, Mountain States, South police were being called in to

Asked what he would do if his Angio-French forces departed, second treasure hunt failed too. Captain Havens said: "I will try (sucide commandos) stepped up United States is one again. I am a bachelor and I their activities as the slow has evoked world, am used to taking knocks from part of the world to enother,"—Reuter,

## **Protests** To US

Paris, Dec. 16. The Soviet Taks news agency | The British counter-attacked all in the West, particularly tonight published the text of a A battalion of the Royal Scots the British Commonwealth. Soviet note delivered to the regiment charged the Arab But a glance at the seven United States in Washington quarter and began battling house topics expected to be dis- yesterday, strongly protesting to house at 10.30 last night, cussed by Mr Nehru and against the alleged vibiation of Mr Eisenhower is enough to Soviet air space in the Viadivos- in the area. Machineguns from tak region by three American stitched the sides of the build-B-57 jet vireraft last Tuesday. The Soviet note said the American aircraft could not have lost their bearings during the flight, because weather conditions were clear

"The violation by American garded as the criterion of aircraft of the Soviet Union's success. Unfortunately too air space can be regarded only the as a deliberate action by the United States military authorities, with obvious reconnaissance purposes, which can only aggravate the international situation in the Far East."

Tass said the Soviet Union had lodged a strong against this alleged violation of the tangled barbed wire at the ed the United States that it the consequences of any future violations.—France-Presse.

# ANGLO-FRENCH CREWS

New York, Dec. 16. Egypt today held to her decision not to allow British and French technicians to work on the Suez Canal clearance project, while reiterating her willingness to have the British and French salvage fleet employed.

statement attributed to Dr Mahmoud Fawzi the Egyptian Foreign Minister, and read to correspondents by an Egyptian spokesman said it was in the interests of the

British

Grim Sequel To

Slaying Of

British tanks and infantrymen in Port Said

attacked Egyptian suicide commandos in a

"merciless" four-hour battle last night and early

today that left as many as 100 dead on both sides.

The clash in the heart of the city's Arab quarter

followed a series of 26 incidents climaxed by the

here withdrew behind protective barbed wire entangle-

ments near the waterfront and turned over all but one-

sixth of the city to 1,800 United Nations Emergency

There was no indication when | Port Said Governor Mohamed

the 5,000 British still here Riad told the United Press he

would withdraw. The 2,000 needed quick police reinforce-

French troops were expected to ments to assure the protection of

As many as 1,000 Egyptian immed forces leave.

When the battle ended, the British and French forces

slaying of a British major in an ambush.

of their patrols have been attacked.

pull out within 48 hours.

help control the populace as the

with rockets, machineguns and

grenades sent British temmics

awooping through the Arab

quarter in a round-up that

Then the commandos attacked

patrol and killed the British

Counter-attack

Tanks and guns slammed away

Some shots struck into the

One UNEF officer described

the British attack as "merci-

lest" and said he counted at

least 27 bodies. Most estimates

ran as high, as 100 killed and

said 30 persons were killed,

wounded. Egyptian sources

to the alleys and streets of the

quarter, adding the thunder of

their guns to the din of battle.

The British withdrew behind

A Warning

All persons were warned no

to come close to the barricade

But just when the British

would evacuate the one-sixth of

the city they still hold was a

Li-Gen, Sie Hugh Stockwell,

the Anglo-French commander.

said he would allow 350 Egypt-

ind policement into Port Sold on Tuesday and emotion 350 in

on Thursday.

closely-guarded secret.

under threat of being shot,

By 2,30 e.m. it was over

Centurion tanks rumbled in-

UNEF headquarters but there

Egyptian

withdrawal progressed.

Their attacks

netted 1,000 men.

major leading it.

were no casualties.

The

Anglo - French techni-clans own safety that the Egyptian government was not ready to agree to their employment.

The statement said they would be working in the area which had "the biggest share of the ravages of the recent aggression against Egypt and has very severely sustained losses and sufferings, including the killing of women, children and other civilians and the destruction of property and installations."

The statement said Egyptian government was ready to approve the use

Officer.

Port Said, Dec. 16.

foreigners in the city once the

Needs 800 Men

The UNEF Commander Maj-

Gen. E. L. M. Burns of Canada,

concentrated on the withdrawal

of Israeli forces eastward

He disclosed that he has

instructed the Yugoslay troops

of the UNEF Command to keep

three miles behind the Israelis

Burns said after conferences

make a further advance next

**Every Town** 

'Port Said" In\_

Paris, Dec. 16.

Every town in Egypt

The radio said that

Abdel Latif Boghdadi,

Egyptian Minister for

town planning, had in-

structed Mayors of every

town to carry out the

renaming of a street. to

Port Said. - France-

Presse.

is to have a street called

Port Said, Cairo radio

announced tonight.

continues.—United Press.

800 polleemen.

be permitted.

during the invasion

across the Sinal Desert.

in the Sinai Desert.

of all equipment and salvage ships required for the clearance job, "irrespective of origin and without excluding British equipment and salvage ships."

Asked whether Egypt still insisted that the last Britigh, French and Israeli troops must be withdrawn before clearance work could begin, the spokesman said this ques-tion was "academic," since all troops would be out "in a few days." Questioned about British

and French charges of maltreatment of their civilians in Egypt, the

PORT SAID BATTLE: 100 DEAD

spokesman said these assertions were based on a "propaganda campaign of unfounded reports." He denled that there had been any maltreatment,

The spokesman was also asked about the "underground" fighters who have been harassing British and French forces. He said they were not a part of the Egyptian army, but were "people who are against the British and French and are doing these things on their own."

He said as soon as withdrawals were complete, the Egyptian government would undertake to pro-

tect the lives of all residents, as it had always done.

The statement was made after Dr Fawzy had had talks with Mr Dag Hammarskjold, the United Nations Secretary-General, Mr. Hammarskjold also con-

ferred at length today on the clearance of the Suez Canal and United Nations operations in Egypt with Mr Andrew Cordier, his executive assistant, Dr Ralph Bunche, United Nations Under - Secretary. Colonel A. G. Katzin, one of his top advisers, -Reuter.

26 Killed

Terrorists

cluding many Europeans.

in Algeria this weekend in

one of the worst series of

terrorist attacks since the

Algerian uprising began

Four European and two

Moslems were killed, and 10

Europeans and three Moslems

wounded in 10 attacks in

Algiers and suburbs over the

Eleven policemen were killed

and eight, wounded when in-

surgents archushed a rural

was reported here today

French sources said

two years ago.

weekend.

Algiers, Dec. 16.

passenger train on the way to the eastern provincial capital of Santiago. The wreck occurred at 9.40 n.ti., between Taguasco and Jatibonico. All of the victums were believed to be Cubun. .The locomotive of the

Santingo-bound train smashed into the first passenger coach of the express, causing most of the casualties. Wounded survivors of the wrock were being treated the towns of Jatibonico, Sancti

Spiritus and Clego Do Avilo, all in Comaguey Province southeast of the Cuban capital

INVESTIGATION

Authorities ordered, an anvestigation to determine whether the trains were wrecked dell-A total of 26 people, inborately by enemies of President Fulgencio Batista. were killed and 37 wounded

If the wreck proves to be the work of saboteurs, it will be the latest of a drily series of attempts to damage and destroy property reported in various parts of Cuba Mnce a revolt strated "in" Santiago ... late ' in November. The revolt was crushed last week.

Although there have been numerous instances of damage to raikways and other communication facilities, today's wreck was the first case in which destruction: blamed for substains caused a heavy loss of human

Cuban provinces where the martial law last week and imby posed consorahip. United Press.

#### lieved they could control the city, although at least two could of their patrols have been afforded AS A BRIDGE, NOT LEADER - NEHRU

- but not a leader in world affairs.

ington's Indian community a difficulties than we anticipated Riad said he has asked the few hours after he arrived for UN to get word to the Cairo talks with President Eisengovernment that he would need hower, the Prime Minister enid: "Often in America the Riad said 400 members of his papers say that India wants to regular police force were killed be the leader of Asia.

"We do not want to be a He promised that the foreign leader—neither do we want to residents would be protected and be under the leadership of

that no demonstrations would provone else. "There is so much jealousy and violence world that it is good to have a ngtions). (between which India is."

### NON-INTERFERENCE

An unofficial translation of Mr Nehru's remarks was given to correspondents later by an Indian Embassy official.

with Israeli officials in Jerusalem Mr Nehru said India's role that the Yugoslav forces would was one of non-interference in the affairs of other nations. week as the Israeli withdrawal "We have to develop our country and we have to do this with peaceful methods, not by interfering with others, nor by pesing es a leader.

"We want to make friends and keep friends. The test of engines as a friendship is to keep 'it when we do not agree. He added: "Countries have to

agree not to interfere with one another. They must exist to- transport as "a matter gether and they must not be subject- to aggression, from outside. Unless these five principles, are accepted, there will be conflict. "Conflicts happened in Egypt

pressures were brought to bear on them," Mr Nehru said.

### 5-YEAR PLAN

# OF HIGH TREASON

Capetown, Dec. 16. Dr. H. M. Moose, Johannesburg medical practitioner, and former, secretary of the South African Indian Congress, was arrested here today on a charge of high treason as he was about to attend the wedding of his sister-in-law.

postial tranch detectives of the 160 people of all races have security in this way had caused criminal investigation. Department of been arrested in South that an explanation had been from Johannesburg to strend the Africa on charges of high given to restore calm.—France-

Dr. Moora was arrested by a Sinco December of a total of

Washington, Dec. 16. Mr Jawaharlal Nehru, India's Prime Minister, said here tonight that India wanted to be a "bridge"

Speaking in Hindi to Wash- | "We will perhaps have more -made worse by the Suez and other crisis." he said. He disclosed that President Eisenhower asked him over lunch at the White House today to let him have more details of India's second five-year plan,-

# Minor Engine Trouble

Honolulu, Dec. 16. A Pan American DC-7C with 91 Korean American orphansamong the 115 persons aboard had "minor" engine trouble en route from Seoul, but landed here today without incident,

The pilot radiced at about 3,30 a.m. that he was feathering of the Clipper's four "precautionary measure", west of Midway Island. He said the plane was in no serious trouble but Coast Guard planes were sent from here and Wake to escort the

Pan American officials said the flight was the first non-stop commercial run from Scoul to and Hungary because external Honolulu. The plane touched down at 10.10 n.m., 14 hours and 40 minutes after leaving Kimpo Airfield in Scoul.

The DC-7C carried 14 adults Discussing India's economy, and a crew of 10 in addition to he said the successful first five- the orphans, who ranged in age year plant was modest, but the from six months to rine years. The 600 Multiplat can be considered milk rice and chopped most Thirtoen of them were travelling / in bassincites. — United

Paris, Dec. 16.

Police services in liungation mines have been reinforced by "prined workers" to nature security, Budapest radio announced this evening.
The radio said the government's decision to bolster

#### police convoy near Tablat, 50 miles south of here yesterday, It Camaguey is one of the four government proclaimed modified eight Moslem women and chil-

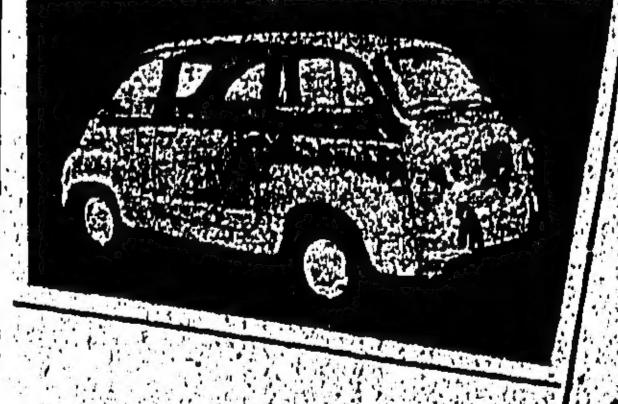
Paris, Dec. 16.

Prices of petroleum products will go up in France tomorrow. The Ministry of Industry and Commerce announced today a six france a litre increase in petrol. Parattin and lubricating til are emong other petroleum products hit by the price in-

Casablanca, Dec. 16. Five Morocean 'policemen the new." Arab, quarter of Casablanca. Two wounded policemen were in a serious

condition.-France-Presso.

# 600 hultipla



second plan was much bigger Pan American and the children unique in technical development and and Indians would have to work used 552 dispers and were fed the first time ample seating accommodation for six persons, or alternatively 19 sq. ft. of luggage space achieved by the incorporation of collapsible type reat seat. No other. vehicle in its class can offer such a variety of uses

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seat and four collapsi-ble type rear bucket seats pining comfort-able seating for six soith simple seating for 8 persons plus permanent Introduce space pening rear

#### Face Prosecution Threat Hudderssield, Dec. 16. The Medical Officer of Health for this Yorkshire wool town, Dr J. A. Murdoch, has threatened parents that he will prosecute them if they do not wash their children's

Wash Children's Hair Or

Reporting an increase of 10 per cent in the number of children with verminous heads, Dr Murdoch said: "It in interesting to note that the number of these cases occur in girls of the older age group. "One would have thought that girls of this age group

would have ensured the cleanliness of their hair. "It is said that many of these girls have their hair permed, then loathe to wash in the mistaken belief that washing will be deletorious to their artificial curls. "The legal machinery exists and we shall use it."-China Mail Special.

> dren were burned alive insurgents near Medrisea in the Oran region, A 10-year-old boy was killed and 16 other Europeans injured Petrol Prices Up

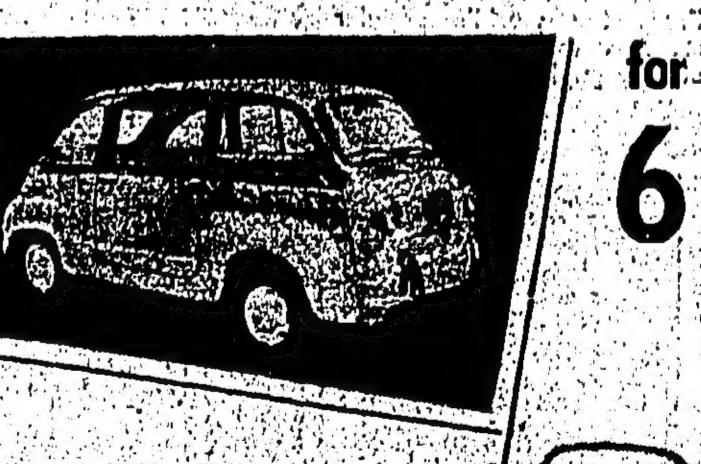
when a grenado was thrown into a cinema at Boufarik. 20 miles south of here teday.

Police reported the arrest 19 alleged terrorists in eastern suburb of Algiers.—

would be congulted in drawing

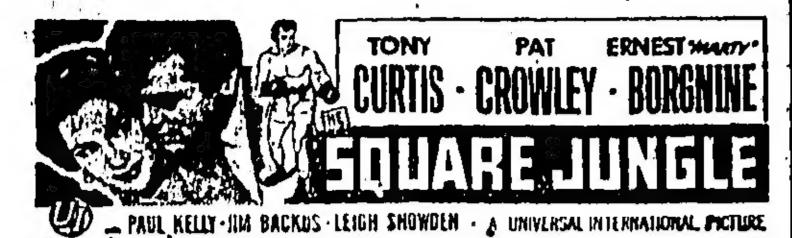
new law --- France-

creases,-France-Presse. Vienna, Dec. 16. Austrian doctors today POLICE SLAIN threatened to go on strike unless they were consulted on the contents of a new law on hospitals. The doctors said the strike would were killed and saven - persons start on Tuerday. December 18 were wounded today in a clash unless assurances were given between golice and civilians in before tomorrow that the Committee of the Medical Corps



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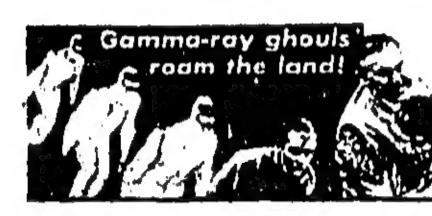


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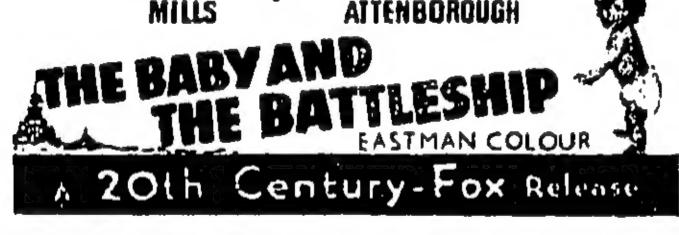


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# Port Said

# Activity In UN TROOPS ADVANCE INTO SINAI



Bustling with activity is Port Said, as the British and French prepare to leave, and the United Nations forces assume increasing, police duties. Picture top shows some of the UN Colombian contingent which arrived; picture bottom shows members of Britain's Royal Engineers preparing the same day to sail from Port Said. - Express Photo.

## POLAND FACING INFLATION APPEAL TO NATION

Paris, Dec. 16. Polish leaders have been desperately appealing to workers and peasants to prevent inflation and complete chaos in the country.

country have been increasing. Director of the Bank of Poland, ed with inflation and complete potential.

This threat was increased, he said, by wage claims. The Government, he added, could no longer provide enough goods for the country's markets.

Earlier, Vladishy Gomulka, First Secretary of the Polish goods-in other words, inflation. Australia.-France-Presse.

### Mining Industry

Recently, Radio Warsaw described the situation in industry and mining as "catastrophic", stating the wage increases were often causing a drain of funds set aside for investment.

An official source has anproduction during the last three under Polish administration. months of this your will not be given is the falling off of work Poland to West Germany this Asian discipline and the difficulty in year to 12,300,-Reuter, recruiting miners.

The same source added, how-ONE OF THE YEAR'S BEST! ever, that production was up, compared with that during the

> At regards agriculture, Radio Warsaw has stated that the movement towards the dissolution of collectives is frequently being accompanied by the sabotaging of materials and the harvest.

### Three Points

The Government is organising three-point effort to meet

these difficulties. . 1. Reorganisation of the production system, at the same time calling on workers and peasants to play their part fully The speciators at the airport Fifth US Air Force then took in the general effort, in parti- were headed by Vice- over and this was followed cular by not striking.

2. Concentration on the

development of the consurer

CANT YOU ?

Appeals to the people to aid | goods industry. The party the government to overcome the paper Trybuna Ludu, has pubserious difficulties facing the lished articles, stating that it is possible to convert to peace-Jacques Prawin, Deputy time use part of the industry which was turning out arms recently warned that the 'Polish | during the Korean war, without national economy was threaten- endangering Poland's military

### Foreign Trade

• 3. Extension of foreign trade. Already Poland has called on the Soviet Julon to step up wheat deliveries. The Government has also expressed Workers (Communist) Party, willingness to trade extensively had stated that the meeting of with the West, provided trade wage claims had been tant- agreements do not include any amount to putting money into political clauses. In this concirculation without meeting it nection. Poland recently conwith an equivalent value in cluded a trade agreement with

Bonn, Dec. 16.

West Germany. from Upper Silesia, formerly

continents. - France-

# Israelis Say Yugoslavs Gone Too Far

Belgrade, Dec. 16. The Yugoslav semi-official news agency Yugopress said today that Yugoslav troops in the Sinai Peninsula had no intention of withdrawing from their present positions despite Israeli protests that they had advanced too far.

The news agency sold that the Yugoslav units now advancing from the Sucz Cenal as part of the United Nations Emergency Force only reached their present positions with the greatest difficulty.

It alleged that the Israells were destroying communications in the face of the Yugoslav advance. On December 14. Israeli units blew up a road across part of the Sinai Desect at the moment when Yugoslav troops were to cross, it said.

#### Minefields

It said the Yugoslavs were expored to minefields not marked on Israeli maps given to the whelming majority. United Nations Commander, Major-General E.L.M. Burns,

el Rumani together with people they had previously herded in-

Yugoslav soldiers were finding human corpses being devoured by hycnas and vultures. Yugopress said that although details were lacking about destruction in the Southern Sinal, "from some reports it can be concluded that equipment has

been taken and destroyed in the oilfields -- equipment which was not property." The news agency said it was hoped that General Burns' visit to Jerusalem and his report to

Mr Dag Hommarskjold, United Nations Secretary-General, would hinder Israell units from carrying out further destruction of goods in the Sinai Peninsula.

### Strong Patrols

The Yugoslav official news agency Tanjug in a despatch said Israeli troops were destroying communications and installations in the peninsula.

Tunjug added that Israel was sending strong patrols almost to the very positions occupied by Yugoslav units.-Reuter.

### 2nd Bandung Conference

Paris, Dec. 16. A new group of 265 Germans said today that the Syrian Govfrom Poland arrived at Fried- erament shortly intends to call land today to join relatives in a new conference of all the countries who took part in the arrest was issued by the Paris Most of the 63 men, 151 first Bandung conference, the In an interview given to the nounced that the plen for coal part of Germany and since 1945 radio's representative in Dames-

women and 51 children, came Egyptian radio reported today. cus, Assali said these countries Today's arrivals brought the must "once and for all uproot carried out fully. The reason total of Germans evacuated from colonialism" in the African and

# SUPPORT MOLLET

Paris, Dec. 16. The National Congress of the French Socialist Party tonight adopted resolution approving the policy of the Socialist-led Guy Mollet by an over-

In another resolution, the Congress voted to "isolate" the The news agency also alleged French Communist Party. that Israeli soldiers blew up a because of its "approval of the railway station building as Bir criminal Soviet aggression in Hungary,"

The general policy motion supporting the Government was adopted by 3,247 votes to 270 with 28 abstentions. It praised the Government's social and Algerian policy and the action taken in the Middle East crisis. FOLLOWED PROGRAMME

It said that in all these fields. the Government had followed even Egyptian the programme laid down by the previous Socialist Party congresses this year.

> On Algeria, the resolution called on the Government's Socialist Prime Minister to speed up the implementation of measures already decided on to reach a "political, peaceful, Democratic and negotiated solution" to the problem.

On the Egyptian crisis, the resolution approved the Government action in "showing the free from Cairo carlier today also world the threat to peace," constituted by the Egyptian diciator, Colonel Nasser, allied to the Soviet Union .- France-Presse.

## Communist Arrested

Paris, Dec. 16. Leo Figueres, a member of the Central Committee of the French Communist Party, was arrested by the police today Syrian Premier, Sabri Assoli, when he alighted from a train in Albi station.

The warrant for Figueres' military tribunal and it was understood that he would be transferred to Paris shortly.

The reason for the arrest was not immediately known. Figueres, 37 years old, is a former French Deputy for the Eastern Pyrences Department. France-Presse.

The US Navy contributed a

formation flight of anti-sub-

marine flying boats, featur-

ing jet assisted takeoffs.

Another American team, this

time from the US 18th Air

Force, joined in with F-86

Air Force.

Sabrojets

# Over 50 Arrested In Argentine

Buenos Aires, Dec. 16. More than 50 persons, including former Peronist officials and retired army and police personnel, have been arrested during the past 24 hours in the provinces of Tucuman, Sante Fe and Entre Rios, press reports said today.

pamphlets inciting workers to Alres area earlier this week. The Bucnos A

#### Packing-house Strike

The acrests were carried out by federal police and army inthe Peronist Party, in Concordia and a lawyor, Alfredo Falun, in Tucuman.

At least 30 persons were arrested and gaoled in Sante Fe. capital of the province of the same name, and a number of nettred non-commissioned army officers and police were arrested in Concordia.

Some 3,800 packing-house volley of shots at two policemen strikers voted early today to him suburban town. Neither government of Premier ently breaking the back of Press.

The round-up followed the Peronist efforts to promote a of general strike here. The decision to return to work strike and announcing the re- at the Negra packing house turn of ex-Picaldent Juan Peron, wiped out nearly half of The pumphlets were similar to the force of 10,000 strikers the Bucnos Aires suburbs last week in a walkout spurred by leaflets promising: "Peron is

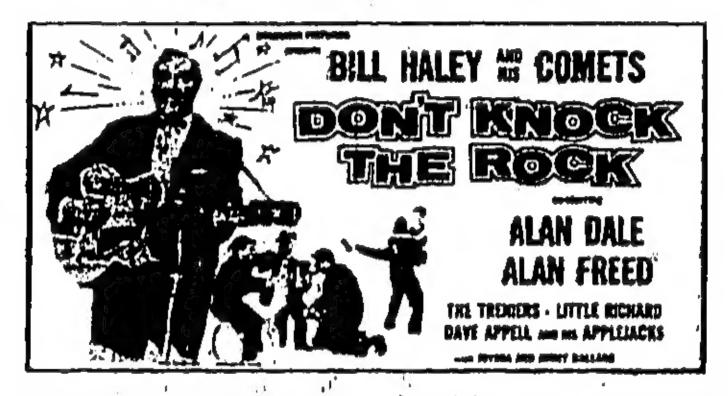
coming back." The leaflets called for a general strike in the capital, but elligence service. Among those the Government stepped in by prested were a former provin- declaring yesterday that it cial Senator, Enrique Cresto of would use the "toughest nossible measures" to combat a general walkout.

#### Sporadic Violence

Sporadic violence, mostly in the form of protest bombings, accompanied the strike, but no casualties were reported. The latest instance occurred last night when gunnien fired a

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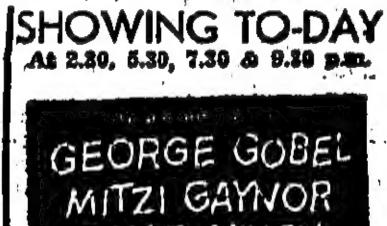
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## INTERNATIONAL AIR DISPLAY bers of the Royal Australian

Manila, Dec. 16. IRCRAFT from six nations In staged a mammoth air show here today to usher in the notic -wide Philippine avintion week.

Some 200 planes, including units from the United States, Australia, New Zesiand, Nationalist China, Great Britain and the Philippines, unrolled a airport,

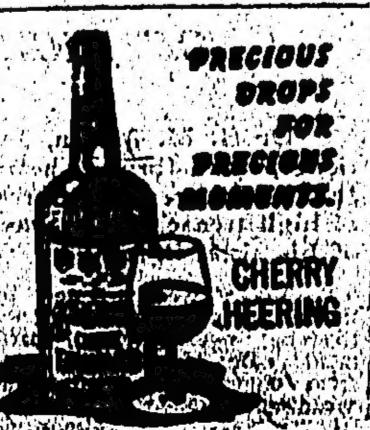
series of acrobatic exhibitions, thrilling thousands of Filipinos nt the Manile international headed by Vice-President and Foreign Secre-tary Carlos P. Garcia.

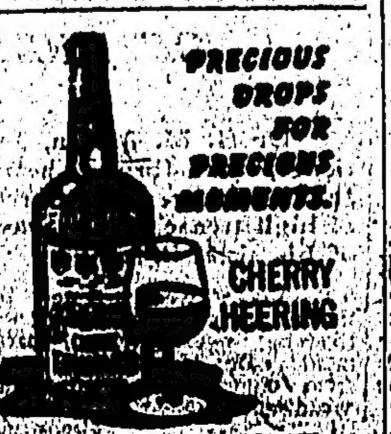
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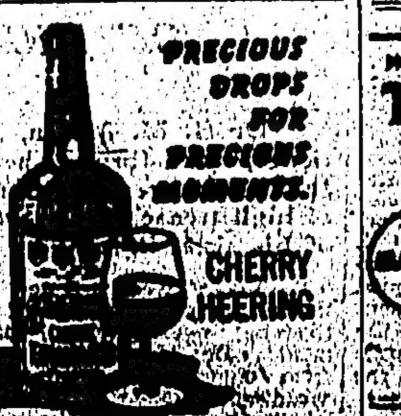
The whole-day show started with a mass formation flight Philippines Air Force Mustang planes.

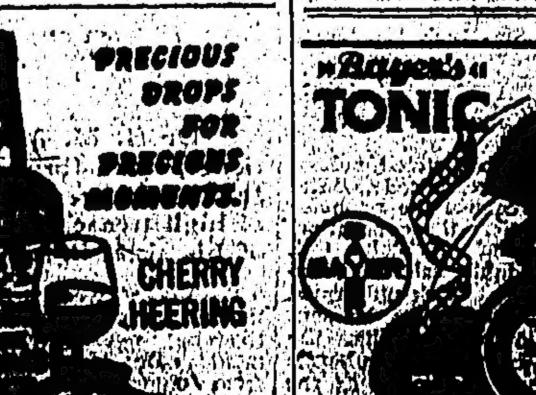
The RAF flight was followed by exhibitions by four F-84 Thunder jets of the Nationslist Air Force. This was followed with another manoeuvre by four T-33 Trainer jet planes of the Philippines Air Force...

A F-86 Sabrejet team from the by a show of precision flying by thron Canborna Jet bom









# SOVIET MIDDLE EAST PENETRATION Maltreatment Of



C. STRIJDOM

## Strijdom Appeals For Co-operation

Johannesh irg. Dec. 16. South African Prime Minister, said today the clash beshould now be regarded as ended and they and nontogether to build up the East and of the Western world." nution.

He said both whites and nonwhites had a right to exist in and area-and there was no need for physical clashes and bloodshed, as in the past,

a covenant day ceremony at the Paardekraal Monument, 30 miles west of here.

He said non-whites throughout Africa had awakened, starting a new battle for European self-preservation. In the future the European would be subjected to strict tests and sacrifices that would be asked of him.

Mr Tom Naudo, the Finance Minister, said it was essential that Europeans be fair and just towards non-whites but could not possibly hand over leadership to "uncivilised barburism."-China Mail Special.

Paris, Dec. 16. Egyptian Government will bring a complaint before United Nations against and Britain for the blocking of its funds by the two objectives within the framecountries and the alleged work of the United Nations if horassing of its citizens, the Caro radio reported today.

venting cheques in their posses- been reached. sion from being honoured, the radio said .- France-Presse.

ACROSS

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17 Take notice (4),

10 Scratch (5).

19 Stops (7).

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32 Follow (5).

a song (7).

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23 Common (7).

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# SHOULD BE RESISTED

Washington, Dec. 16. The National Planning Association said today the United States, "even at the risk of war", should resist any entry of Soviet military power in the Middle East.

East over to the Soviet Union without a struggle." It said the ultimate choice lies between "capitulation or fighting a war under the most unfavourable possible elreumstunces."

The Association, a non-profit, nor -partisan organisation, conducts studies and makes reports on critical economic and foreign policy lasues.

#### **Definition Wanted**

The NPA's International Committee, appealing for a "defini-"ion" of US foreign policy in the three said the struggle between freedom and despotism "may be Mr Johannes Strijdom, | determined in the Middle East,"

It said Russin is engaged in a "determined effori" to bring English and Afri- the Middle East under its conkniners in South Africa trot. The success of these ! efforts, the NPA said, would inveryer a shift in power relations "gravely to the disadvantage of pull the peoples both of the Middle

unon Middle East oil would be sirrent with our recognition of exposed immediately, it said Egyptian sovereignty" Apart from the challenge to which weuld protect Canal Africa- each in his own sphere | American economic interests, | tisers the NPA said, P y such weakening at tip affice would "constitute a serious if not vital threat Mr Strijdom was speaking at to our own security."

> The NPA said US emergency moves to ship oil to Western has pe and provide financial aid de liber-short nations still leave "no lear the policy of our govtrament" in regard to the area where the emergency originated.

It proposed two "primary objectives" as "preconditions' for resisting in the ultimate aim of fostering the welfare of Middle Bast peoples.

One called for completion of arrangements for assured use of the Suez Canal. The other proposed the removal of conditions which have led to "repeated armistice."

### Remain In Egypt

States seek to attain these "humanly possible." The govcroment, it said, also should make clear that it feels the UN The complaint charged France Emergency Force should remain with refusing to allow Egyptians in Egypt until a settlement of to leave France and with pre- these long-range objectives has

But it said settlement of these problems holds little

DOWN

6 Makes it up at little

20 Agitated about trifles (6)

9 Put in disorder (7).

11 Stick together (6)

16 Sporting dog (6).

18 Thoroughfares (7).

1 Clear (5).

5 Fower (4).

7 Mounts (6).

15 School (4).

18 Volcano (4).

21 Contestants (8)

24 Ingenuous (8). .25 Frolice (5).

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20 Big (5).

SATURDAY'S CROSSWORD .-- Acrow: 3 Siumbers, 8 Pure

9 Indolent, 11 Departed, 18 Aspe, 15 Eighteen, 16 Enrolled.

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Child, 20 Dopes, 21 Dour, 22 Mere, 23 Tale, 24 Dope.

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Banish (5).

British Crossword Puzzle

The "grim alternative," it promise as long as "Soviet raid, "In to hand the Middle ugitation and interference .: ... is countenanced" in the Middle

> The United States would take "an immense step forward," it said, if it once agreed to prevent domination of the area "by all appropriate diplomatic, economic and ideological means, and even at the risk of war, resist any incursion of Soviet military power into the area ..."

The US stand should hold, it said, whother such military power took the form of "so-called volunteers or through the gradual though disguised transformation of such states as Syria or Egypt into Soviet-dominated bases."

#### Consistent

Once the US position is made clear, the NPA said, "we shall be better able to deal with the other vexing problems of the

The United States must insich it said, on a settlement of Western Europe, dependent | the Suoz Canal dispute "con-

> It said the United States, Brita'n and France "should strict firmly behind our commilment to maintain the existone of Israel within the present "rmistice lines."

#### Vital Interest

A "vital national interest" is at stake in the Middle East, the NPA warned, "We shall not avoid war unless we are willing in defence of a vital national interest to take the risk of

committee members signing the Middle East foreign policy statement were: NPA committee chairman Frank Altschul, board chairman violations of the Arab-Israeli of the General American Investors Co; Solomon Barkin, research director of the AFL-CIO Textile Workers' Union; August Heckscher, executive director, The Twentieth Century Fund; It proposed that the United Isador Lubin, commissioner of Labour of New York State; John C. McClintock, assistant vice-president, United Fruit Co: Robert A. Whitney, president National Sales Executives, Inc; and H. Christian Sonne, president. South Ridge Corp., and chairman of NPA's Board of Trustees .- United Press.

## Independence For Hungarian Farmers

Paris, Dec. 16. Radio Budapest reported tonight that the Hungarian Government had decided to suppress two agricultural ministries and to give state farms greater independence.

The two departments suppressed were the Ministry for Collection of Agricultural Products and that for State Farms,

The radio said tonight that a number of persons had been arin the town of Eger during a police inquiry, opened after the bloody incidents took place there last which

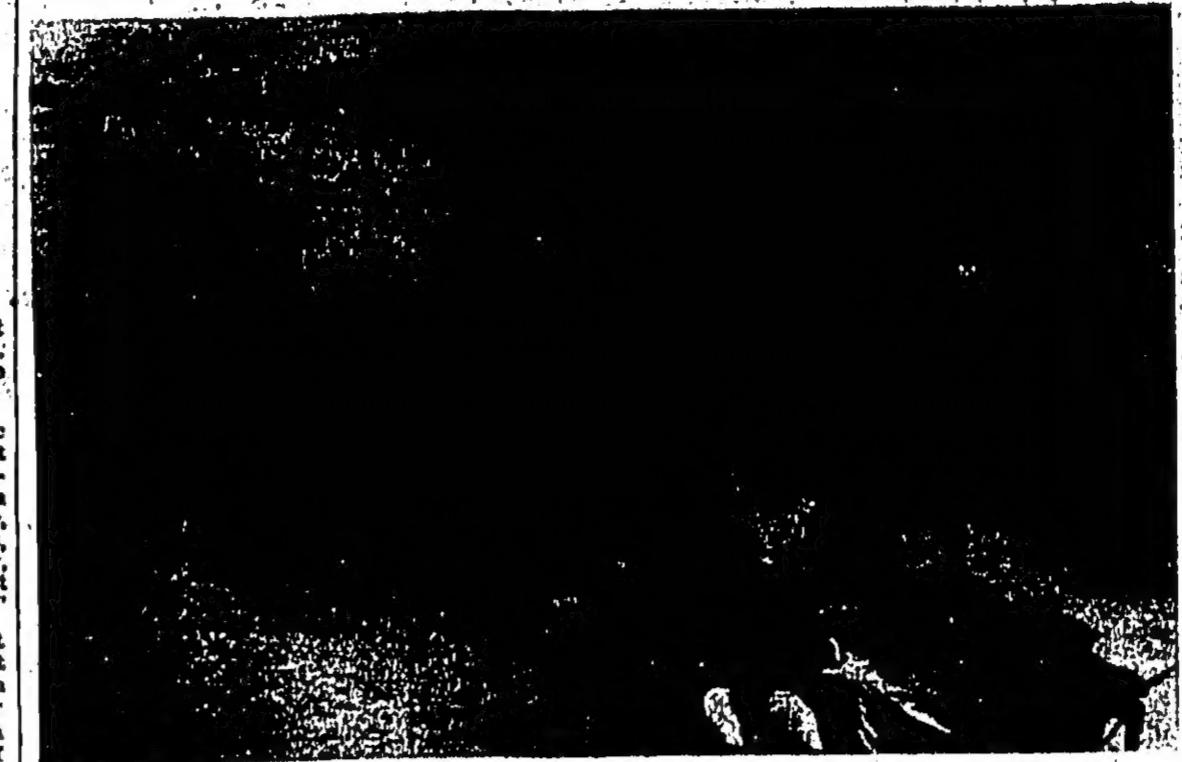
The broadcasts said those arrested were "suspected of having taken part in the revolt or of having incited students and workers in Eger to commit acts of terrorism."

### COAL PRODUCTION

Racio Budapest also reported that an agreement has been renched between the Budapest slaughter-house, and the Tata-benya coal mines, by which the slaughter-house would deliver four truck-loads of lard in ex-change for a truck-load of coal The radio said that coal pro-

duction in mines in the Nograd Department had "Increased and that 2,525 tons were mined there yesterday an increase of 400 tons on Friday's production. Mounwhile, the newspaper Nopekarat was quoted by the Hungarian news agency, MTT, se seying that out tober city and international interprete communicalions page had peen

## Israeli Forces Leave Sinai



## **UN** Forces Prepare For Christmas

By DAVID DISHAL

Abu Suweir, Egypt, Dec. 16. For the UN soldier stationed out here in the desert there is but one pressing thought on his mind, and it has nothing to do with the United Nations operation in Egypt...

wildly through the Abu Suweir signs in his own language. This comp as Christmas draws near, is probably one of the very rare and the blue chip among camp occasions when Silent Night is bookies is Port Said, with Sinai sung by one choir in Swedish, a close runner up. But the Danish, Norwegian, English soldiers are carnestly hoping it and Colombian languages all at will be Port Said, where there once. are more chances of a merrier Christmas eve than in the Sinal wilderness or in the Abu Suweir | all-male camp.

The Canadian housekeeping Nations Emergency Force supplies, has already started drawing up UNEF's Christmas menu. rest they will have to provide for themselves.

### Hugging Guitar

And the troops have already set about to do that. Small groups are formed after dinner every night at the soldiers' mess. Each group surrounds a Columbian hugging a guitar and they start rehearsing Christmas

But as the night advances and the number of empty beer bottles increases, the choir grows more and more out of focus. Some are following the about playing some hot South American music.

Then the small groups all fall Press.

Betting fever is spreading into a big one and everyboly

#### Choirs Selected

. Usurlly at that time a few unit, stationed in Abu Suweir sergeants show up and they ment on the report.-Reuter. but in charge of entire United shove everybody back to his

But that is not the way it On it will be a Christmas furkey always happens. Unit officers with all the trimmings, apple solected their contingents' choirs beer and cakes. There and serious rehearsing is already will also be an extra ration of underway. The camp bezaer sent eigarettes on the occasion. But to Cairo for Christmas trimmings that is all the UNEF Command and Egyptian articles which can do for the soldiers. The soldiers can send home as gifts. The hunt for a jazz band

produced one Swedish plano player, a Canadian clarinet blower and two Colombian guitarists. One Norwegian soldier applied as a drummer but there were no drums around the

Although the potentialities of the Abu Suweir camp are limited, the soldiers are quite enthusiastic about preparations for Christmas. There are no movies in the camp.

### No Hikes

Life is also quite easy for the guitar and others are trying to UNEF soldier. There aren't have the guitar follow them. hikes through the desert in full And the guitar keeps falling off combat equipment, no extra Christmas carols and wandering drill and no military policemen. The lack of facilities ap-

parently will not prevent UNEF The result is usually some- soldiers from making Christmas thing like Silent Night sung to Eve as moisy and merry as any the best of hot potato Mambo. Christmes Eve at home.-United



# Allied Nationals

New York, Dec. 17. Britain and France will confer with their West European allies at the United Nations today about Egypt's alleged maltreatment and expulsion of British and French nationals.

Alles agreed the issue might was equally incorrect. be put before the General Assembly later today as an emergency Item.

British informants denied reports that the United States had tried to dissuade Britain and France from taking their complaint to the General Assembly because of the risk of "opening old wounds," The sources raid America was "very sympathe-

#### Observers

France has already submitted resolution asking the UN to take immediate measures-including the possible despatch of observers-to get the Egyptian Government to respect rights of French nationals.

The American Jewish Congress today called on the UN Secretary-General. Hammarskjold, to publish mediately "such information as he may have regarding plight of Egyptian Jewry.

One result of the Sues ocase-

fire is that Israeli forces have

been evacuating the Sinal

peninsula, the invasion of

which sparked off the crisis.

Pictured is a column of

Beracli artillery withdrawing

along a road. Express Photo.

Adenauer To

See Ike

The independent right-wing

newspaper Die Welt reported

today that Dr Konrad Aden-

auer, the West German Chan-

with President Elsenhower in

American Ambassador in Bonn,

Mr James B. Conant, and his

deputy, would leave this week

for talks in Washington. Since

Mr Conant's return was planned

for February the newspaper

concluded that Dr Adenmer

would arrive in Washington

There was no official com-

during January.

cellor, intended to have

Washington early next year.

The newspaper said

Hamburg, Dec. 17.

The AJC President, Dr Israel Goldstein, made the request in a telegram to Mr Henry Cabot Lodge, head of the US delega- expected to range over world tion to the UN, asking that he problems and pledge the Japanurged Mr Hammarskjold to ese Government and people to make such information avail- contribute to the full in efforts

Meanwhile, the World Jewish Congress claimed it possessed "official lists" of Jewish pro- 'to elect Japan. perty sequestered by Egypt as well as the names of Egyptian Government custodians now mously endorsed by the 11administering such property.

Thursday at the Washington half year deadlock created by Press Club by the Egyptian Foreign Minister, Dr Mahmoud admission, in face of over-Fawzi, that Jewish property in Egypt had been confiscated, Dr Maurico Perizweig of the World Jewish Congress said today:

#### Calculated Deception

"I challenge the Egyptian Foreign Minister to say they (the properties) will be returned, otherwise his denial of confiscation must be condemned as a calculated deception of in United Nations history. public opinion.".

Delegates said that if the | Egyplian Jews had been expelled "Not hundreds, but thousands have been given the harsh alternative of leaving or being imprisoned," he said.—Reuter &

United Press.

## Japan Joins **United Nations** Tomorrow

New York, Dec. 17. Japan will become the 80th member of the United Nations tomorrow, probably by unanimous vote.

Immediately, ofterwards, the Japanese delegation headed by the Foreign Minister, Mamaru Shigemitsu, will take its place behind one of the banks of green-trimmed desits in the huge, green-carpeted General Assembly hall.

Mr Shigemitsu will make a speech of acceptance, which is to solve them.

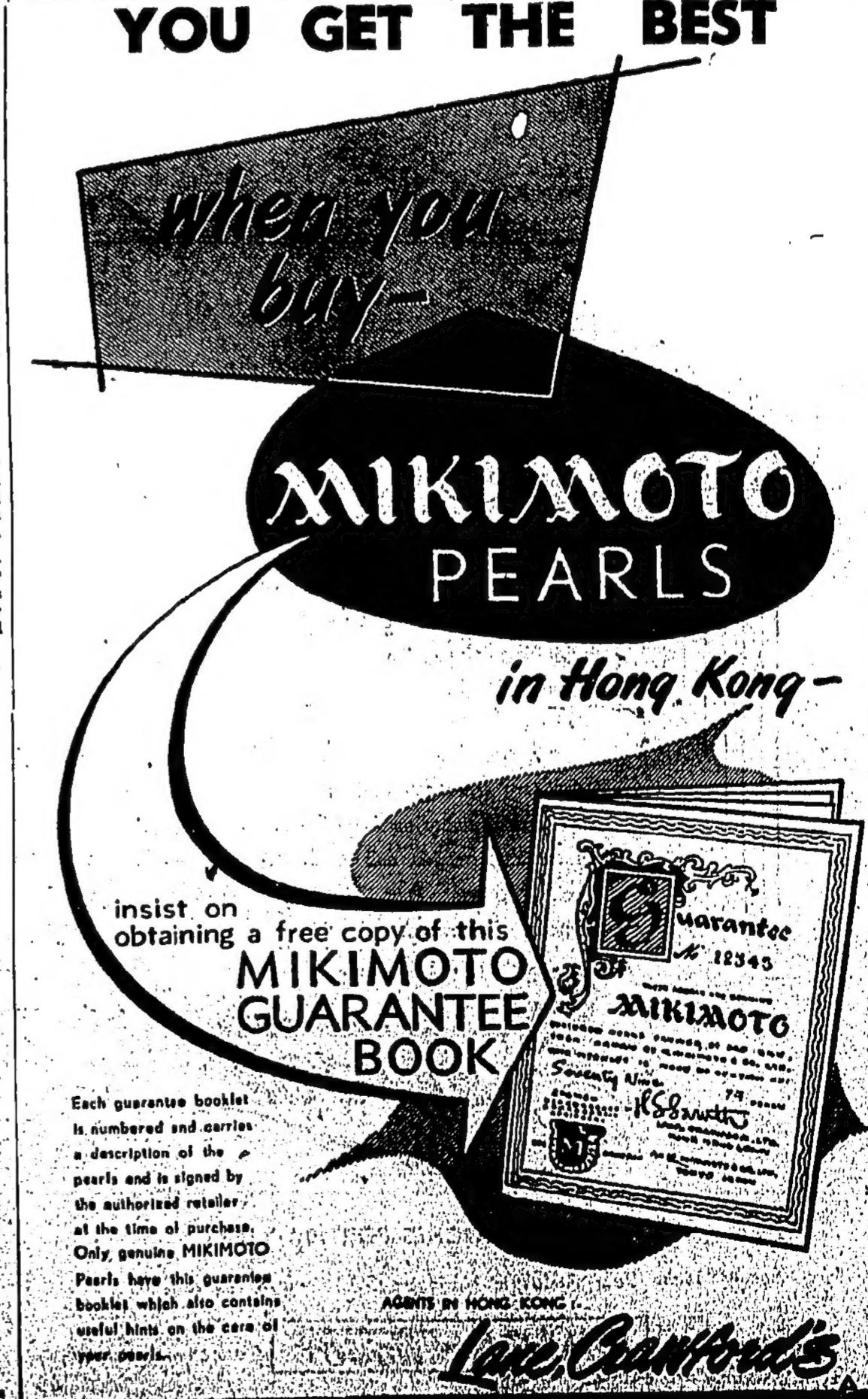
The United States, plans to introduce the formal resolution

### UNANIMOUS

Her application was unanination Security Council Inst Commenting on a denial last Worlnesday, ending a four and a the Soviet veto against Japan's whelming support from other nations.

formally voted into membership by a plenary session of the Assembly shortly afterwards. but it was understood that the Tokyo Government preferred to wait until after Mr Shigemitsu reached New York. He arrived here yesterday.

Delegates have hulled Japan's entry as an important milestone enabling this great Asian power Dr Perlzweig charged that Dr to play her full role in world Fowzi's statement that only 280 affairs.—Reuter,



# In The Role of Santa Claus The Tragic Frontier

TH'other students of sity helping the authorities to cope with the flood of refugees pouring into Austria from Hungary has been a young girl from Aberdeen, Scotland - Miss Sandra Hay.

students have been toiling too arduously to ease the misery of the Hungarians Russian terror.

of the Hungarians, and not the Egypt story as well. selflessness of herself and the others who have worked so tirelessly to help the refugees Non-stop Job at the moment of their deepest despondency-the moment of quitting their homeland.

scenes; and her father, Mr A. passages from them in the hope Hungary Itself. that they will stimulate response to the appeals for help for the Hungarians

#### Eden Critics

Miss Hay, for all her youth, Is an accomplished linguist, with new washing machines. n knowledge of French, Gorman, Italian, and Spanish. She has studied at Perugia University, Italy, and is at present spending a year at Vienna University.

In her letters home, she a flash," writes:--

Austrians were saying about the frontier, one of their first two years—until a formight Anthony Eden ..."

was heavy criticism of him. talking to were naturally very -sausage, for example, bitter about the Sucz business. Miss Sandra Hay describes "More than ever before were Red Star, Then the Hungarians -the second onslaught of the one such morning:

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Auglo-French aggression to pay for it."

But, she adds, it has been brought home that the Anglo-

"I think that once the Austriuns and Hungarians realise who have fled before the that, their criticism of British and French is sure to diminish. They have been so taken up She herself would be the last with the Russians here that to claim credit for what she they do not seem to have conhas been doing. What she has sidered until now that the to say reflects, rather, the agony Russians might come into the

"One thing is sure: that is the really magnificent way in which Her letters home give an all countries have given all they intimate glimpse behind the could to help the refugees and -now that the Red Cross is Leslie Hay, has given me per- allowed into Hungary-the mission to quote a number of wounded and homeless in

> "At Traiskirchen, it is a twenty-four-hour non-stop job receiving and sorting out all the stuff that arrives. There seems to be an endless procession of forries and vehicles coming with about everything under the sun, from safety-pins to giant brand-

"And food has come in by Secret Police the ton. When you see it in the store-rooms, there is so much of it you cannot imagine it will

"You were asking what the the morning at Traiskirchen, on has been in prison for the last jobs is to give the people break. ago. He is hoping to be allowed She goes on to say that there fast-ten, as much as they like, to go to America." bread, as much as they like; "The Hungarians we were and a ration of something else Traiskirchen:

Russians on poor Budapest "For almost an hour and a Hungarians, chiefly because students from Vienna Univer-(after it seemed they were half we were on the landings there were refugees and sity, who in return song Aus-

TIME WAITS

But if you are one of the many

wanting a TISSOT timepiece, it will pay to

wait on the arrival of the 1957 collection -

the the time. At the end, each one the rooms and corridors giving in of us felt sure that he or she them to children. It made you Egypt—the Hungarians having would be haunted by visions of feel quite like Santa Claus, and

French action was not a case of in at the rate of fifteen hundred "In the course of our trips, fighting for mere imperialistic every twenty-four hours.... conversations were held in six them with your own eyes, each a person in his or her own right, and capable of all sorts of feelings and sufferings as such-it with next to nothing. But one is only then that hitherto abstract terms such as Com- for a long time in English had munism,' Iron Curtain,' and so brought his Hungarian-English on, take on a real meaning.

> "Two of the people I talked to for quite a while seemed to sum up what all the refugees Full of Lies would say. One of these people was a father, and he said: 'Can what the Russians tell you.... likely to happen? Now we flee. We want to live no more like that ....'

teacher of English in Budapest, are delivered free and distribut-He was not very old and had ed every day, but the Hunone of the gentlest, mildest garians are used to Hungarian faces.... He went two or three newspapers and radio reports times to the British Consulate full of lies, and they no longer as he wanted to read news- have any confidence in newspapers or something from the papers.'
West. That was his crime.

"For six months he knew he was being trailed; for six start handing it out, it goes in months he expected to be taken group, goes on for twenty-four away. Eventually the Secret hours a day. Police came and said to him When the students arrive in that they had to arrest him. He

She speaks of another day at

going away) was regarded as with a steady flow of people all more helpers.... A friend and trian and German student

I were given the very pleasant "task" of looking ourselves with chocolate and begs of sweets (all 'donated) and going round hundreds of cups of tea, or we had great fun with the chunks of bread, or sausages. young men who went down on their kness and tried to pretend "Refugees have been coming they were children too!

Working day and night in leasons or a case of merely Numbers are cold and im- languages — German, English, shifts, she and her follow- directed against Soviet intrigues, they may be, but when you all else failed, and this was only think of them as people and see in one instance, we resorted to a few individual words in

Latin.... "Nearly all of them had to flee young fellow who spoke to me dictionary with him. He hoped to get to the United States.

you imagine what life was like? "What was really pathetic children, they went to was the way so many of them school. Every night for ten asked us what the news was years I tell them; LEARN what from Hungary .... What was you can. But don't BELIEVE happening there? What was

"Of course, they get newspapers at the camp, the same "Another Hungarian had been papers as I read myself. They

> Miss Hay says that clothing distribution is being carried out on a colossal scale. A whole building has been set apart for the unpacking and sorting of the parcels. The work, done chiefly by an American Quaker

It was decided to give a sort of concert. The pianist played Strauss, Lehar, Liszt-music known and loved by all. One of the refugues recited a long poem he had just composed. It was in Hungarian, of course, and very spirited. It was about the tearing down of the we able to be in amongst the sang. Hungarian songs to the

#### New Arrivals

"We gave each other tremendous evations, for they wanted us to sing again and we wanted them to sing again.

"After the concert we had to roturn to work; all sorts of cleaning up to do all over the gigantic buildings. If the place were not cleaned properly at night, I shudder to think what happen-if even one infectious illness came with so many people crowded together.

The students had been up at 5,30 in the morning, and they were not finished till 2 a.m. sleep, as at 5.30 a.m. they had to be up again and go down to the station—to meet another fifteen hundred new refugees for the camp.

The new arrivals asked many questions about the camp. "At least we could tell them that they would get as much eat as they wanted; that the rooms were heated; that they would be given clothing if they needed it.

more than anything else: How long did they have to stay in the camp before setting off to their new life in another rency. country?

"And the question they asked

"So many of them want go to America...."

### Happy Man

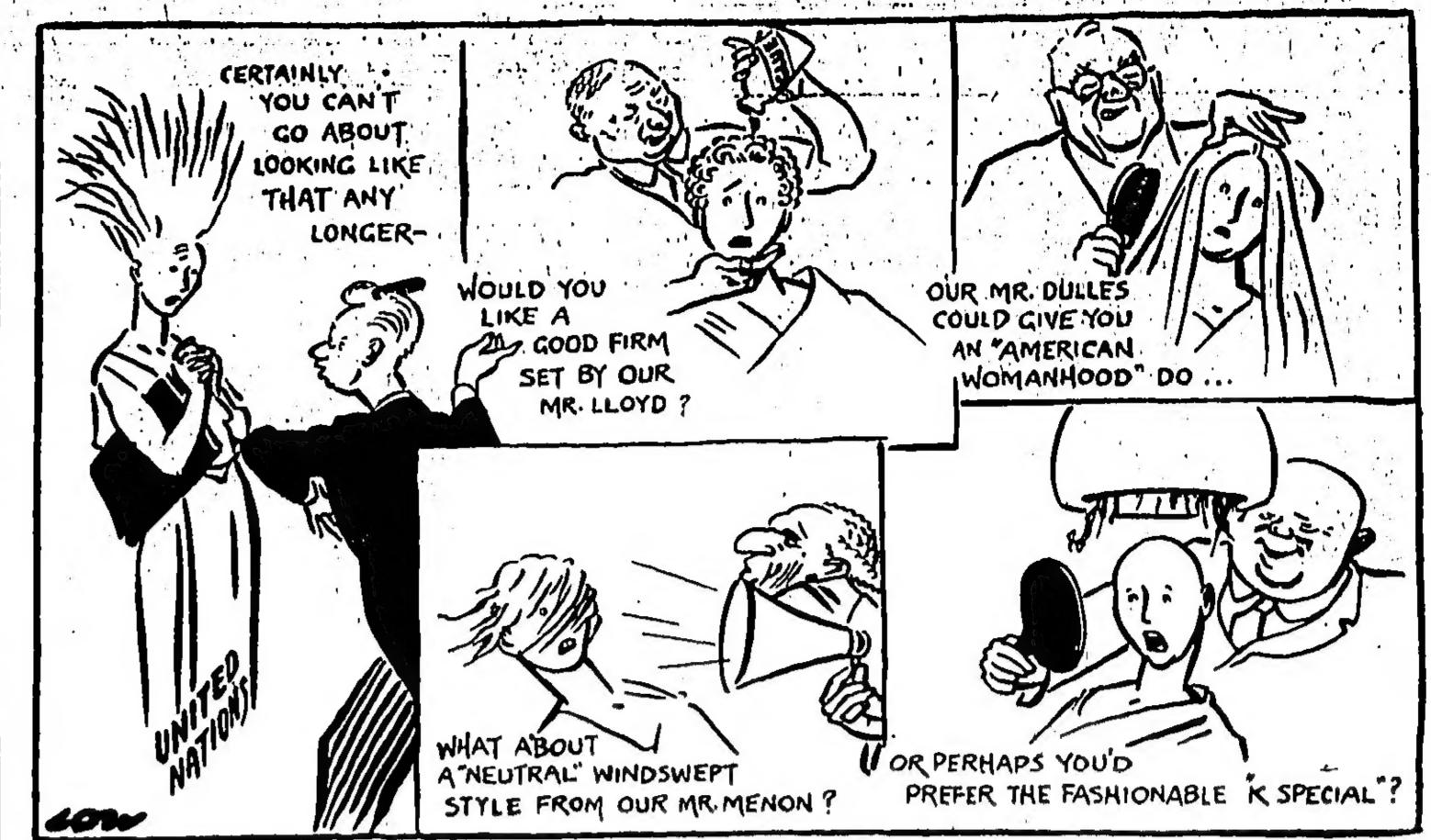
Hungary.

Miss Hay tells of one man however, who was happy beyond words because he had been promised a job by the

He explained it was not difficult to get the job in Vienna because most of the Hungarians wanted to get to the other side Russians, whom they hated and born on tour-my parents were feared so much.

Russians had taken away his land but left him his house. Now they had taken his house. In it was a library of chess books. He had been one of the great chess players of Hun-

"He had been in prison, 100," secretary of the Budepest Ches Club was a rempant Communitiet and had him arrested on the grounds that he had been privy to an anti-Communist plot and had not denounced it. Completethis poor men thrown into prison white hept there are



THE LADY WITH THE FRIGHTENED HAIR

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#### LEWIN ON BROADWAY

# MR WONDERFUL'...

That's what they call him—and you're going to

New York. HE man Broadway calls Mister Wonderful is a wispy little 30 - year - old negro singer named Sammy Davis Junior.

dances and mimes is no beauty: his face is flattened and his nose was broken in a car smash a year or so

attractive, and his first Broadway show — titled, naturally enough "Mr Wonderful" - is an established

In New York theatre the following morning. They people crowd to see him. lay down but could not really Frank Sinatra calls him "a genius." So does July Garland. I say he is a talented performer with a tremendous attack which will make him a hit when he goes to London early next year.

### International

LREADY his records are beginning to give his name an international cur-

He enys: "It is nice when your records sell well, but I'm not sure that I'd want now." to have a really top seller which would run into a million copies or more.

"There would be so much worry after that - worry head of a textile factory in about whether you could Vienna. He did not want to go | top it or even match it next too far away. Some day he time. I concentrate on my hoped to return to a free show instead. I came up his nose was broken, through the ranks when having a hit record didn't mean so much.

"I scuffled and I hustled and I fought my way up, dancers and I went on stage Miss Hay soys this men was the first time when I was two blg landowner. The years old. I have stayed ever

### Self-taught

11 thing\_I have never taken lessons in singing or dencing or setting. I learned the lot myself

way I am Maybo I made my- beain and sealn to see Laurence self troubles because of it—but Olivier films. Sometimes he will at least they were my own quote from Shakespeard in his troubles and I tied to learn to conversation agest them by myself."

Swining Davis mailes And the fact the to a Negro.

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* SIDE NOTE FOR RECORD FANS

**COMETHING'S GOTTA** GIVE," a hit song of 1955, Mr Davis who sings and first brought the yorce of Sammy Pavis jun. on records. He was a slow starter. But his second record, "Love Me or Leave Me," brought him into the Top Ten best-sellers list. Then came two more records which helped to establish him: "Hey There" and "Earthbound." FILM NOTE: The voice you such charm and energy that heard singing "Frankle and women find him enormously Johnsle" in "Meet Me In Las Vegas" was Sammy Davis, He did not appear.

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says. "When finally I got star billing I also got a big head. Too big for one hat.

"I couldn't go fast enoughor spend enough money."

He was talking about 1953, when finally, after fouring round America, Frank Sinatra unged showmen to pay greater attention to Sommy Davis jun.

In 1953 he became a night club stor and appeared on television. The money was big: £5,000 a week. Davis went on a spending spree. He now owns three cars (one of them a Cadilhae); he has bought 20,000 records and 300 pairs of cuff

He ordered suits four at a time and started a collection of pistols. His philosophy at the time was: "I didn't have when I was a kid. I want

### Shrewd talker

mile next year he had a car I smash. He was in hospital for weeks, and when he came out he had lost his left eye and

"It was," he says known as a rudo ewakening. Ruder than most people suiter. But those weeks in hospital with nothing to do but think slowed me down. ... I thought plenty. 'Who am I?' I asked myself. 'What do I believe?'

"I came to terms with myself. tainer. That is something to strive for. I know there is, a price to be paid for all this and am willing to pay it.

"Maybe | unhappiness | 18

Sammy Davis talks shrewily. intelligently. He has learned "I made myself and that's the about. Shakespears by going



SAMMY DAVIS JUNIOR: AT 30 ::: BURSTING WITH A TALENT THAT SINATRA CALLS GENIUS !!!

his life he contemplated

About being coloured he says "It: I weren't a Negro I would have made 20 million dollars by End and he will also try to find Negro in America can have a sponsored TV show of his own?

The sponsors are worried that people in the South would want to be a great enter- refuse to buy their goods if they backed a series staring me or Eartin Kitt or Long Horne or anyone like that.

"You have to be tough to be in this business. Too many youngalers today get sentimental about show business; you know the stuff I mean - ell those songs. But in show business. It

Success Surit just

When the Sammy Davis becoming Jewish then rejected show finishes its run on the idea because it might be Broadway the will stor in a considered a publicity line. His film, "The Jezz Train," which mother is Catholic and his is the background story to the Negro how that played in

> He will appear in the West Chicago model, Cordy King.

I or 15 years as a performer. Then he wants to direct shows. Already houis restaging within dencing in his own show, "Mr Wonderful." Then he stanta there, lonely on stage, in a pair of tight-fitting dungaroon and on open-neck shirt, and sings clearly and simply and with

After a three-hour show he is still thrown. And The more "When it is all over wed I no able to talk hand business with longer perform. I went to whe the people wire run this bust remembered like Al Johan is



Sociáté Sulsse Pour l'Industrie Horlogère S.A. Geneva, Switzerland

### This Funny World



"Dear, how can you be sure he's just being stubborn? Maybe be really doesn't feel like playing with the ball"

## BY . THE . WAY Beachcomber

Dr Rhubarb's corner

🗸 🔹 complain when we put on

only a record and that the dog

died last year, but they still

Dr Rhubarb says: \Buy an-

other dog and let it bark. If

they complain, tell them it is

not a record, but the real thing.

A in Act II of "Il Gasprizzi"

the 12 palace guards have

we in the stalls could hear her

Memo to composers of opera;

(for the nervous)

Enormous singers should be

kept alive until the final curtain

and go off under their own

■ nised, boit-lock.

metre-gauge Intervals between

magnetic vectors, is elliptic, and upsets every formula of

diffractive reflection, as applied

to resistivity, except one; the

0.3718497 formula, which is

Itself non-existent. That leaves

us precisely where we were

Foulenough's philosophy

defence of debtors and bor-

rowers. He told a bailiff the

other day that so long as you

are in debt to plenty of people,

you are sure of having their

prayers that you may live long.

praise you fulsomely wherever

they go, in the hope that their

friends will lend you the money

From actual play; Black to

move and win material.

to pay back what you owe.

Poor Rustiguzzi

object. What should we do"

CTURNOPHOBES, working birds perch on the hats and and make themselves comfortable perclanguage, have tried a new the officials leap into fast cars, meaned of lating starlings from drive out into lenely country, the rate as the diese of build- and shake the birds from their

The test of trees in the subjects of Bunningham are being warmed by arc-lamps, a tritle tend leng ago in the Carrier town of Hallearnassus by the young Herodotus, who was been there. A cheaper trick is to warm the hats of public works officials. Then when the

## ACOBY ON BRIDGE

#### Unusual Bid Sets Up Slam

By OSWALD JACOBY

QOUTH'S opening bid of two club, in today's hand was on ortificial bad, and his next bid of three hearts showed his stage. The spectacle of half the real part. Some experts use this melt at of bidding, but few of them would bid the South hand BO Delevy

carried her alternately, six at a The hind was played in one time? As it was, she was haulof the team matches of last ed and shoved into the wings summer's European Champion- like a sackful of scrap-iron, and ships, and the South player was trying desperately to wipe out muffled protests." a bug lead that his opponents **e**njoyed:

West opened the ten of clubs against the very shaky contract'. of dis heads, and South won in his hand with the king. Declarer now can five rounds of trumps, diseasting both low clubs and Subject for conversation one (mall (pade from the dummy.

East had to find shree discards, and the task wasn't easy. He could safely throw two diamonds, but didn't know that it

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was safe to throw another. He couldn't tell it was safe to dircard a spade. By the process of climination, he came around to the idea of discarding a club.

Opening lead—# 10

This discard was all that South meeded. He led a club to the ace, dropping the nine and the queen, and discarded the deuce of spades on dummy's ace of diamonds. Now he led a spade from the dummy and was sure of making his twelfth trick with a spade, since East had both the ace and queen.

### #CARD Sense \*

QuiThe bidding has been: North East South West You, South, hold: 34 AKQJ974 V852 AA64742

What do you do? A-Bid four spades. Since this is the only contract you will conabout the buck.

TODAY'S QUESTION The bidding is the same as the question just answered. You When do you do?

### YOUR BIRTHDAY

DORN today, you have an unusual combination of the idealistic, and will want to visit all of the mysile and practical an your nature. You have a will of iron and once you make up your mind to do something, you let nothing interfers. You have a tramendous alore of anergy and self-confidence, You consider that the will to believe is, indeed, the will to macceed.

You never doubt your ability to tackle a tough job and are always confident that you can lick any problems that may present itself, You enjoy doing the big things in life and are annoyed if you have to handle detail work, Make full use of your potential executive powers:

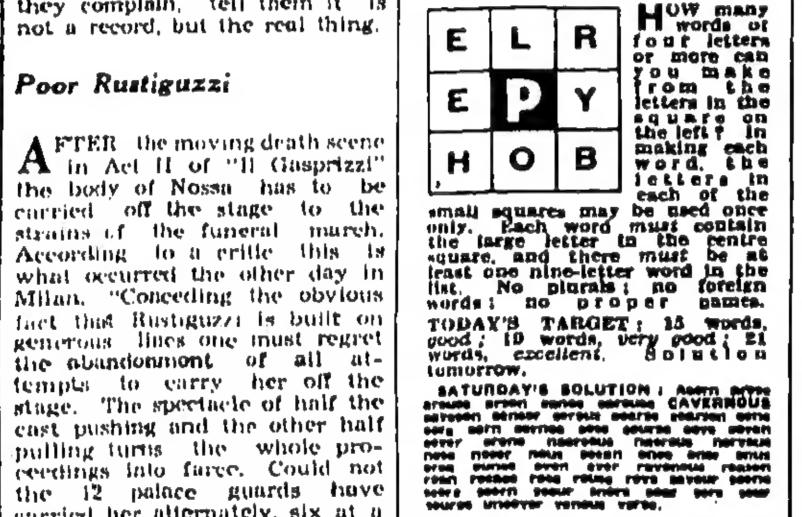
MOUNTALL PROPERTY OF THE PROPERTY of your potential executive powers;
build up a working staff under your
direction and you will be able to
guide a project through from idea
and blueprint to successful completion. Capable of handling money, store for you tomorrow, select your it is likely that you will become birthday star and read the corresquite wealthy well before middle bonding paragraph. Let your birth-life.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan, 20)-Your interests may be divided be-tween the family and your com-munity; some pre-Christians event, AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)-Take care of minor matters during the morning hours, save important decipions for later in the day, Plat'E8 (l'eb. 20-Mar. 21)-Beware following random impulse this morning You may need your best juckment to settle a family

(Mar 22-Apr. 20)-If you are planning on buying a new ear, this may be the day to make your selection and close the deal. TAURUS (Apr. 41-May 21)-Your job may call for travelling; if then this is a good day to set of on a trip, long of duri destint (May 22-June Your friends can mean a great deal to you just now A feeling of the CANCER (June 23-July 23)-Finish an important job today, Make the most of each moment and you will accomplish a intertoo (July 24-Aug. G. L. writes: Neighbours There is romance in the oir for you festivilles are engerly awaited. a gramophone record of our dost VIRGO (Aug. 24-Rept. barking. We tell them it is Family and public affairs are combined to an interesting and exciting pattern for you just now LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct.

#### TARGET

Domestic matters take on real



Alex Agassiz, naturalist; John Greenleaf Whittier, poet; Sir Herbert Beerbohm Tree, actor: William Floyd, patriot: William Hackness, estronomer; Julian Edwards, music-To find what the stars have

SACITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 22) -- significance and importance during a fine day for buying and selling, these had few days before Christin retail merchandising, this most hould be your "big day" this SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)--A new idea may be of great help

# CROSSWORD 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 6 |

1. is he necessarily from Paris?

10. Excavator of the long pier? (4) 11. They are sought in the end by navigators, (9) 12. Take off. (4) 13. No deductions from this price. 18 Wheat brat (anna.). (4, 5)

19. Come has extract from America. 21. Paddington or Victoria. (7 22. This enswer holds water. (4) 23. Every manhole has one, (5) 24, This form is highest, (5) 25. Emperor had a warm time in Rome. (4)

1. The medicine men's hate? 2. Ann Tate acores nothing s. The cake's not properly cooked 11 1t's this. (3) 4. Bweil, (4) 5. Mae get mixed up before the nation. (9)

It's a part. (4)
Taken for an inch. (3)
No work for the musician. (4) Dear sir alternative. (5) 14. Twice as valuable as a river. Middle one BEEFTHOVE is naval IAHRATIOE institution. RIVETTENT this treasure. RRUSHIWIF

18. It's heard at ANSWERTNG Wembley, (4) RULETINGE often marks the inn. (4) Saturday's solution

# OMANSENSE

afford an extensive wardrobe or not, you are probably, like most women, eager to extend the wearing potential of what you already own. Holiday time, with its demands, brings to you in mapping out your future. the fact home harder, Make careful plans now, you own a sheath dress, gested. why not give full rein to thoughts that can change It? It can be fun and give you an individuality you neckline by making a cowl-

> Watching fashion. must know that the slim silhouette remains in high favour but it is undergoing some changes as designers ready their newest collecmoved higher in front and back. amount of back interest is growing, not diminishing. It often extends from neckline to hem. Two fabrics are often used in a dress, and this may give you some

hardly match its fabrics. very new, try something like waistline. this: Add a full panel, flying

the appearance

New York. it in a crisp taffeta or heavy you can satin. Another more dramatic treatment would be to gather the panel underneath the hemiline in a sort of harem effect, then pass the panel up under the belt at the outside waistline. Puff out the end or pleat it to stand up and, coincide with the dress . neckline. (Stitch to dress to hold up.) A square-cut neckline, with the panel the same width, is sug-

Change the front of a dress with a cut-out or deep-slashed have experienced like collar to cover it or fill in, whichever is more comfortable and attractive. A soft chiffon, crepe or silk will do. It could match, in the case of a black dress, or contrast by being in a lighter shade of the dress colour. Finish it in the back with long narrow streamers that end above the waistline or coincide with the hemline. To cover a bare back dress, try this cowl collar in reverse, again Necklines have tucking it inside the dress or pinning it securely at the bottom edge. The "cowl back" is news. For a sleeveless sheath, try little gathered sleeves that give the appearance of being pushed up or crushed on the arms well above elbows. Make them in white sptin or chiffon with a black dress!

Combine satin with velvel: satin or velvet with crepe. ideas on how to change Chiffon, fashion's pet, combines with everything-with heavy costume - since you can penu de soie silks, woollens and even tweeds. Use it to fill in necklines or floating panels in To make your dress look double layers to the about the

Before you know it, you'll from the neckline in back. Have feel like a designer yourself.

## HOUSEHOLD

of dark wood may be disguised suchet will eliminate. by rubbing it with a Brazil nut, walnut or a piece of meat. Bub wax Into the wood, then

Tuck sachet tablets into the pockets of your 'suitease when going on a trip. Cases that have been closed for a long time often have a "elose" odour

A light scratch on the surface that the sweet fragrance of

Stainless steet knives can be sharpened with a regular knife sharpener. 📜 🔧

A girl with a sheath and a little imagination can work many changes in it for the holiday season. Left: The crushed slik cummerbund with long back panel emerging from a high Empire line in back changes the appearance of a black silk sheath. Try it in red, beige or black silk. Top right: Two narrow bands of velvet ribbon and little bows mark the high midriff lines of a simple sheath for new interest. Try them in black on white or in two colours, as red and blue or red and green on black or beige. Centre right: This shows how to emphasise the lowered neckline of a sheath with banding for the neckline extending for a bow and long-streamer finish. Black velvet or satin on a black dress is most elegant. Add a. jewel pin or little flower over the bow. Bottom right; A gowl collar in soft metallic fabric changes the neckline of a ... sheath.

# BOYS' AND GIRLS' MAGAZINE

to hang in front of me. Then

Knarf watched as Picky Poo

began trying to get his tail not

wagged it and wagged it ....

"I'll chase it and eatch it,"

Around And Around

wouldn't wag off.

It still stuck on.

he said. "I'll get it oft."

tail turned just as fast.

He snapped his teeth.

I could see it wagging."

### Picky Has A Problem

-He Wanted To See Himself Wag His Tail-

By MAX TRELL

DICKY POO, the Brown "That's it," said Knarf. "All Foodle, came over to the you have to do is change it FITHE new HL 64-42in. alumistep and sat himself around," down. He looked up at his "I'll do it at once," said automatic, T-tuned, tube-range, good friend Knarf, the shadow Picky. full pressure-grade, snap-edge, with the turned-about avird-frame, compression-turret, sensitised, convolute stick-back, with absorption levers angled "Good-morning, Picky," said to wag behind his back. for polarised down-come, and ionisation - shafts layered at

"Good-morning, Knarf," said harder and harder but it

Knarf smiled. Then Picky wagged himself Picky Poo stood up and and tried to shake the tail ofk wagged his tail. "I was wondering about something," said Knarf.

Picky Poo was about to sit down but it puzzled him to learn that Knarf was wonder-"What are you wondering how fast Picky Poo turned, his attention to what Knarf had ▲ APTAIN FOULENOUGH has evidently studied Panurge's about?"

"I'm wondering about you," said Knarf.

"About me?" said Picky, "About your tail," said His tongue hung out, And the creditors will always Knarf. This was very surprising in- said to Knarf. 'It's tired me all

tall that makes you wonder?"

"Why," said Picky Poo, "It's good to wag. You couldn't wag your tail if you didn't have one," "That only makes it all the stranger," said Knarf. "What's the good of being able to wag your tall, if you can't see yourself wanging it?"

### Bewildered Voice

Picky said slowly and in a very bewildered voice: "I can't

see myself wagging my tail?"
"Of course not," said Kharf.
"It's behind you. It's your tail
and you can't even see it wag."
"That's right," said Picky
Poo after giving the matter
some thought,
"It's no good to you at all
hanging behind you. hanging behind you," said Picky agreed. Yes, it smould be much better if I could get it



"I was wondering about your tail," Knarf told Picky.

Knarf went for a walk with Picky Poo. And all the way Picky Poo kept turning around, chasing his own tail. It was Knarf's sister Hanld

Then around and around he ing about something. So he spun. And the tall spun around who finally told Pick Poo that kept standing up as he said; and around, too. No matter he was silly to pay any told him, He barked. He growled.

"No dog can ever see his At last the poor tired Poodic own tail wagging," she said to eat down. He was panting Picky Poo. "But you can see every other dog's' tail wagging "I haven't caught it yet," he and that's just as good."

Picky Poo nodded and was Picky looked at Knarf out but I'll get it yet. I'll make sure she was right but, even, for a full minute before he it wag in front of me instead so, every now and then when said: "What is there about my of behind me, You'll see." Knarf looked out of the Knarf had to go inside for window he still saw Picky "What I wonder about your his lunch." When he came out trying to catch his own tailtail," sald Knarf, "is what good Picky Poo was chasing his tail trying to make his tail wag in

# Rupert and the Old Chimney-8







FERENC PUSKAS WITH DAUGHTER

The famous Hungarian footballer Ferenc Puskas is re-united with

2-year-old daughter in Italy. During the rioting in Budapest recently his wife

and daughter managed to escape to Italy while Puskas was in Spain. Now he

hopes to seek asylum for his family in Italy. - Central Press Photo,

SATURDAY'S RUGGER

A Clear-Out Win

Against Army North

Says "PAK LO"

except for one lapse, the RAF on Saturday, though they finally only

managed to draw with Army North by 13 points (2 goals, 1 penalty goal)

to 13 points (2 goals, 1 try), definitely took top honours and were de-

side went down as expected before Army South to the tune of 34 points (5 goals,

serving of a clear-cut win.

Hussars win by 12 points (1 try)

3 penalty goals) to 3 points (T)

RAF v. Army North

answer and the Airmen would

have won had they not when

in the lead for about ten

of chances which they were

The only man to shine beyond

them was Pritchard, the full

pure lazy. There is no other

but stand around until Wyss

had a musele eramp and the two

of them changed places, and

then at last Green began to

He speed in scoring two excel-

lent tries, but otherwise he was

not outstanding.

quick to snap up.

steady.

penalty goul).

By sticking religiously to their system of keeping the ball tight,

On the other side of the harbour a hopelessly outclassed and weak Police

WEEK-END SOCCER

# RUNAWAY VICTORY FOR SOUTH CHINA AGAINST KWONG WAH

By "TOUCHWOOD"

It was a total rout, a runaway victory for South China when they scored as they willed against Kwong Wah in a First Division League match at Caroline Hill yesterday and the 5-0 score the Nam Wah boys netted could have been more had they taken this match seriously enough.

South China's smart display, with Chu Wing-wah and Lee Yuk-tak keeping up their shoot-on-sight accuracy, places the Caroliners as firm favourites for this year's soccer honours both in the League and Cup competitions.

South China playing Tan Kar player to miss the mark by Wing-fai, Chui Ngai-to; Lau sow at centre-forward for a inches by heading, in a lovely Tak-chee Lo Shul-lun, Chen brief spell, but later Tan played shot which would have been a Ming-chih, Leung Lam, Lo Tak-

Chu Wing-wah, Ho Cheung- keeper not got his hands to the you and Mok Chan-wall com- ball in the nick of time bined effectively and their con-Chow-ming work overtime Kwong Wah forwards.

#### MISSED CHANCES

Had the losers taken in ... shooting chances whenever they swarmed all over the Carolineis. scored at least a goal or two away scoring chances when their dian beaten all the way. forwards wasted too much time of the ball

The Knong Wah forwards were off their form completely and except for the few near misses when they had Lau Kinchung on his toes they hardly worrled the Nam Walt players

Of the five goals scored in [ of the South China forwards, fence working doubly hard. Fu conceded yet another apot kick award but, luckily for p kwok Chow-ming, left-winger China's Lee Yuk-tuk netted goal Mok Chun-wah crashed the ball number four from a Ho Cheungsmack into the Kwong Wah

that thrills were practically at score to 5-0 f Wah boys to light tooth and took a spot kick in the 40th nall left the stadium a dis- minute, but his shot rebounded appointed lot.

goalkeeper,

### THE GAME

The game was hardly five ball his second attempt at scoring minutes on when South China was cleared by a defender, threatened to open the scoring an Chu Wing-wah 100k a shot at Kwok Chow-ming who had to inanuged to push it out for a fruities corner,

The next minute Chan Chikong blited over a well-placed that to a waiting Chu Wingwah, but the latter kicked the ball into a bunch of Kwong Wah defenders.

Caroliners' custodian in the 8th minute when they attacked in the Started by Chui-Ngai-to brought Leung Lam and I Lo Tak-hing speeding goalwards and their joint efforts ended with Lo bringing out the best of Lau Kin-chung with a sizzling shot that came very close to reoring.

### NOTICE

#### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Forms for the 6th Race od the 10p. Meeting 1956/57 to be held on Tuesday 1st and Saturday 5th January, 1957, (weather permitting) may be obtained at is ranked second. the Secretary's Office, Alexan-Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Tuesday 18th December, 1956,

By Order of the Stewards,

goal had the South China goal- hing.

The Nam Wah boys got into stunt raids on the Kwong Wah their shooting form after the defence made custodian Kwok 18th minute. A solo effort by Mok Chun-wah nearly had the In defence Lau Chi-ping and Kwong Wah 'keeper beaten Kwok Kam-hong played thier when Mok's shot grazed the uproles well, especially during the right. In his next attempt Mok tew sporadle raids by the Chun-wan made no mistake by crashing the ball past a bewildered Kwok Chow-ming This was executed so suddenly that Kwok hardly had time to parry Mok's fast shot

By the 23rd minute South China were two up and this goalmouth they might have time it was a long range shot off the boots of Chu Wing-wah Time and again they threw I that had the Kwong Wan custo-The Nam Wah boys went in taking their aim with the further ahead with a third result that they lost passession | goal in the 30th minute through Chan Chi-kong.

#### TWO GOOD SHOTS

good pot shots by Chen Mingchih and Leung Lam, but their refforts lacked the power to beat the alert Lau Kin-chung.

With three goals in their this match one came off a favour, South China started the penalty award when Kwong second half with a rousing raid Wah's Fu Nai-tong touled one that had the Kwong Wah de-

In the 12th minute South you pass and a penalty award in the 27th minute saw Chu Wing-wah placing the ball to This match was so one-sided the back of the net to bring the

a premium. The Sunday crowd | Mok Chun-wah could have who had expected the Kwong made it half a dozen when he off the body of Kwok Chowming and though the South China left-winger ran after the

## TEAMS

Lau Chi-ping Kwok Kum- Hughes, Hunter, Wakefield dive for the ball before he just hung; Ng Wai-man, Luk Tat- Wan Siu-chol, Ng Ling, Au hay, Chan Chi-kong; Chu Wing- | Chi-yin, Mak Wing-hung, wah, Lee Yuk-tak, Tan Kar- Kau. sow, Ho Choung-yau, Mok Chun-wah,

Kwong Wah: Kwok Chowming; Fu Nai-tong, Ng Bo-

## Kwong Wah forwards Have Miss Shirley Fry List For 1956

New York, Dec. 16. Miss Shirley Fry, the United States and Wimbledon Singles Champion, topped the United State, Women's Lawn Tennis ranking list for 1950 which was approunced here today.

Miss Fry, ranked second last year, succeeds Doris Hart, who is now a professional. This is the 13th consecutive year she Programmes and Entry but the first time she has reachhas been ranked in the first ten

Miss Althea Gibson, who won tournuments in nine different countries this year, but did not beat Miss Fry until November,

Miss Louise Brough and Mrs dra House; the Club House, Margaret Dupont, who won Happy Valley; and the their twelfth national doubles Tramways ... 8 0 2 8 8 31 2 and their foot rushes had the title this year, are, placed third anti fourth respectively. The full list announced by the | Watsons ..... 7 0 9 1 37 12 USLTA rankings committee is:---

1. Shirley Fry, 2. Althea Gibson, C. & W. ...... 8 4 2 2 37 12 10 3. Louiso Brough, 4. Margaret CMB ...... 8 3 1 4 21 24 Dupont, 5. Betty Pratt. 6. RIL Dorothy Knode, 7. Darlene Hard, Rediffusion ... 7 2 1 4 12 17 5 A. E. ARNOLD, 8. Recol Fageros, 9. Janet Bodwell .... 7 1 1 5 5 25 3 Secretary. Hoppe, 10. Miriam : Arnold .-

A feature of this match was | Chen Ming-chih was the next | leung: Hui Tai-wai, Leung

#### SATURDAY'S MATCH

EASTERN 3. POLICE 0 It seems that Eastern have taken a leaf out of the Harlem Globetrotters' rule book and they but this lesson to full use against the Police in Saturday's First Division League match at Boundary Street.

The Trotters inclin of "First RAF Were Deserving Of we beared, then we clown" was desired by the Fastern players. we score, then we clown" was adopted by the Eastern players so well that they recled off three clear goals and then settled down to annuse the crowd with some scittillating dribbling and neat ball control by Chu Wing-

As a Senior Division oncounter the performance by the police was not up to expectations. They had chances galore to beat the Eastern custodim, Yung Poy-dor, but in their eagerness to score Au Kwong Wah followed up with | Chi-ym, Wakefield and Ko Kau were fumblers

> The only players who shone were Hunter at centre-half and right-back Ngan Chun-sing,

> Time and again when the forward line looked to him for support Ko Kau was not where he should be with the result that the ball went a-begging

> There was some rough play in this match too and the culprits were the Police. The reforce had Hughes' name down for infringements, The scorers for Eastern were Lee-Kang-wal in the 20th minute, Hau Chingto (25th) and Lee Kang-wai 17 minutes after the interval.

#### TEAMS

Eastern: Yung Poy-dor; Lee Ping-nam, Lau Yee: Ma Marnhung, Ko Po-keung, Lee Kwokwah; Fung Chun-tak, Chu Wing-keung, Lee Kang-wai, Ho

Ying-fun, Hau Ching-to. Pollee: Kwok Man-sum; Ngan South China; Lau Kin-chung; Chun-sing, Chan Ping-wing;

> DECEMBER 16 1st Division

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| Res. Division    PW   D   F     CAA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 19 U         |     |  |  |  |  |
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| Kwong Wah                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 7 2          |     |  |  |  |  |
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#### The RAF, on the other hand, played like heroes. The forwards in particular were trying every minute of the game Army North dazed. They broke 3rd Division IIK Aircraft ... 8 8 0 0 20 7 16 fast from the serums and went Caroline IIIII ... 0 7 1 0 43 7 15 University ..... 7 5 1 1 19 10 threes very well. the centre were hard to stop.

3 tries) to 6 points (2 tries), though the score was by no means indicative of the run of the game, for the Police did make one or two very dangerous moves. Of the RAF forwards Cheal their forwards dribbled the The Club "B" in the minor i dered away, completely fluffed the loose, and Hannam and their chances and let the 7th Tuton were close seconds.

right from the start and 20 minutes passed before the Army managed to take play into the Airmen's half of Goulds with a long kick found It was hard to believe that touch on the RAF 25 and the ball this was the same side which went from the lineout to Beynon, who duminied his way through the buttled so well, albeit unsue- centre, and when tackled passed on cessfully, against the Club last to Goulds who scored week, for Army North were posts. Pritchard converted. 6-0. but a shadow of themselves, back into their opponents half of scoring down appreciably had also a contributory fact to the RAMC (PP from 13/10/56), Against the tight, close play the field and about 20 yards from of the RAF they could find no the Army line the Army were

penalised and Machamara converted. This was the half time score, but LEAGUE STANDING - UP TO minutes opened the game up. The RAF open attacked to the That gave Army South a couple sent the ball over the dead-ball line. The RAF forwards took the ball clever interpassing amongst the for-But for the rest of the time words finally sent Tuton over near

the posts, Machamara converted 8-6.
The RAF nearly scored again, Army North were obviously all at sea, and they became more and more flustered as time went | with their three line sending out the on. Passes went everywhere most atrocious passes ever seen, but somehow each found their mark, once the ball had left either but they were finally cought with Turnbull's or Beynon's hands. feet to go and the Army cleared Luckily for Army North these | unfield with a kick. two halves were in top form. but even they had a rough time Army and went through the detence, outpaced Pritchard and ran round to score under the posts, direction.

Macamara converted, 13-5. Then, it was the Army's turn, back, who under almost con- From a loose maul the ball tinuous pressure was very out to Oreen on the wing who was Green, who has been the full back, to beat. It looked difficult shining light lately, was just for Green was close to the line, and a good push would have put him in touch. but Gray unaccountably word for it. He did nothing mirsed fackle and Green scored under the posts. Pritchard converted, 13-10.
The Army forwards had a short spell here and took the bell upfield. at their feet and then heeled mnattmove and succeeded by use of ly and Green found an opening and slipped through to score under the mimed the conversion, 13-13. With the RAF striving harder than

ever for a score and play on the Army five-yard line the game finally Police v. Army South

Army South never from the start looked as though they through the lineouts like a dose could lose. They had a steady of saits, and they covered their supply of the ball from the scrums, lineouts and loose Mocnamara at scrum half had mouls. The halves and threes scheduled to play off their post-

match of the afternoon flour- was outstanding, especially in ball upfield, but they had not been well enough trained in the art of this and all too often kicked top far shead to make THE PLAY any use of their chances. The RAF went into the attack

The Police back division, with little of the ball, failed to get moving, and their defensive wickets in the process. covering was weefully weak.

he played at full back.

From the first whistle the Army scored with a try by Boorman. Sharp adding the extra points, Johnston retaliated with a touch down of a loose ball, Booman scored again a few minutes later to | two in this 66. make the half time score 0-3. Beyond a try from a five-yard lineout the Police were completely out of the picture and Army Bouth acored through Booman, Owen-Smith, Robinson, Williams, Busby, and Phipps each scoring a try. Sharp converted three of the tries, and Phipps converted his own try.

### Club "B" v. 7th Hussars

This was a scrappy affair, pavilion by this stage. A minute later and Cheal took and the Club "B" threes the ball from a sliced kick by the wandered all over the field with the ball but in the right

posed mainly of stragglers, and 22 and Pereira one for 42. they were very disappointing. unmarked and he stresked up to mud needed stronger leadership the wing with only Gray, the RAF in the pack to bring them up to the mork.

The Club "B" scrum half had an excellent game, but was hompered by the attentions of i-Anderson, the Hussers' wing forward, who gave him little room to move in.

Davies scored the only try of !posts. Then, amazingly Pritchard the match, for the Hussars, while Morson converted three penalty goals, and Gault replied with one penalty goal. Hussars were not much better Champion, declared tonight than the Club "B" really, but their being just that little bit ring if - promoter Jim Norris keener and fitter made all the offered him a bout ..... difference.

### Tonight's Came

another fine game, though Read all moved like well-offed poned match against the Navy, was a little slow to get into muchines, and with the Police and though at time of going to position for his passes. Cornah failing to tackle well the scor- press the Navy team is un-In the centre was almost un- ing was regular and easy. ... known it should, be fairly

worry the Club who are in the habit of taking things easy in a game like this. That attitude to his mother to remain in retirement so he could spend his time with them and relieve them the game. The Club are bility of his gatting hunt in the ring.—United Pressible margin. fortable margin.

Whether they can triain their record of having no scores made egainst them remains to be peen but this should be a good hard and fast match. The kick of a scheduline for \$20 p.m. on the Will again to the pater

LEAGUE CRICKET

## Army South Were Still On The Lucky Side

By "RECORDER"

Lots of rain during the week unt a cold, dull day. The match between Army South and Recreio at Sookunpoo on Saturday was not called off and I will go on the record to say that Army South were extremely lucky to

At Happy Valley on Sunday, the Optimists gave Craigengower 175 for eight wickets and replied with 178 for five, again paced by an undefeated 94 from John Leader.

the League table remains al- fourth wicket stand between most unchanged from last week. George Souza and Dhaber was This is how it looks:

9 6 1 2 20 eight wickets. RAF ...... 8 4 3 1 17 The Optimists lost Kilbee, Craigengower 10 3 4 3 15 Rowe and Leigh-Bennett with Recreio .... 10 3 4 3 15 only 40 runs on the board, but Army North 8 3 3 2

five wickets in a very curious wickets. game in which there were spells of brilliance and of mediocrity from both sides.

On what was very much a bowlers' wicket, Recreto came near enough to upsetting Army South and had Asheroft not been dropped in the gully by Ysunovich in a misunderstanding with Eddie Gosuno on who should try to hold a high catch, things may have been very dif-

Asheroft and Pettit were bowling in a manner very deserving of wickets. The former was rewarded with one for 22 in six overs and the latter with none for 22 in nine. Gary Crook had a field day and took five wickets for eight

runs. Four of these wickets were, however, thrown away, the only real Crook victim being D.E. Remedios. Padre Williams took three of the remaining four wickets for eight runs. Recreio were at one stage 38

for two wickets as Arthur Prata and Mickey Remedics put on 35 for the second wicket, After that come quick collapse with wickets being as freely

given as taken. The biggest surprise of match came in the second part of it. Army South foiled for 32 overs to score 64 runs for

victory and lost five pood Recreto put up one of their real fighting shows of the type Johnston was wasted at that used to take them to scrum half, and, though he did League Championships in years p.m. Ref. Cheung Yan-sing; score a try, he would probably gone by. The heavy outfield Lines, Li Ping-pui/H. N. Tam. The RAF immediately took play have been able to keep the slowed the ball up, which was score being kept down, but the H.V. 2 p.m. Ref. F. J. Recreio fielding was also extremely tight. I only remember one boundary being scored, though there may have been

Recreio depended entirely on L. G. Remedios and "Spotty" Pereira in their fight to save the situation and these two bowlers. keeping slightly 'short of a length kept Army South's renowned run-getters down to 47 for five wickets, Bedson, Gordon, Howard-Dobson, Tidey

The inability, to separate ary St. 3.30 p.m. Ref. S. U. Ashcroft and Payne, though the | Woo; Lines. A. H. R. Tucker/ former was of course, extremely Liu Ting-kai. lucky, saved the day for the The Club "B" pack was com- soldiers. Remedios took four for Army, Navy 1.45 p.m. Ref. F.

> 109 - STAND At Happy Valley, yesterday Craigengower were three wickels down for 19 against the S. Y. Kwok/Mak Hin-tsang.

New York, Dec. 16. Rocky Morciano, the undefeated retired Heavyweight 14/10/56), H.V. -2 p.m. Ref. I that he would not return to the With that statement on the Ng Chun-wing; Lines, J. (J. Ed Sullivan television show, the

"Brockton Blockbuster" at tempted to qualt permanently the rumours that he might return to the ring to fight ms successo young Floyd Patterson, in Jude. Rocky explained, that he had

Strong enough, anyway, to and he owed it to his wife this

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As a result, the situation in Optimists at one stage, but a good for 109 runs, Souza was Army. South 10 7 1 2 30 to make 68 and Craigengower Optimists ... 8 6 0 2 26 eventually declared at 175 for

8 3 3 2 14 John Lender, backed up first 14 by Hall and then by Vowler, I saw 80 being put on the board before the fourth wicket fell and 150 before the fifth. The Army South beat Recreto by Optimists won handily by five

## Hongkong FA Soccer Fixtures For Dec 22-23

DECEMBER 22 ist Div. League: Kwong Wah v. KMB, Caroline Hill 3.30 p.m. Ref. R. P. Browning: Lines. Mak Yeung-fai/R. Gra. RAF v Club, Navy 3.30 p.m. Rel. D. G. Simpson; Lines, E.

G. Dawson/J. Moore. Police v. Kitchee, Boundary St. 3.30 p.m. Rev. S. F. Bradley; Lines, J. D. Jones/F. A. Bar-Res. Div. Lesgue: RAF v.

Club, Navy 2 p.m. Ref. S. Y. Kwok; Lines, F. R. Pratlett/ Wong Wah-kay, Junior Shield: KMB v. Soll-, citors. Caroline Hill 1.45 p.m.

Ref. S. Tye; Lines, R. H. Lane/ S. E. Matthews. Cympastic v. REME, Boundary .St. 1.45 p.m. Ref. W. Sanders; Lines, P. Manson/A. RAF Sai Wan v. AFS, H.V. 3.30 p.m. Ref. Tsang King-hong: Lines: Mu Ting-kal/Y. C. Mok. Taikoo v. Dodwell, H.V. 3.30 p.m. Ref. D. P. Lai; Lines. Wong King-chung/Ng Yue-wal. Telephone v. CMB, H.V. 3.30

2nd Div. League: Jurdine v. O'Brien; Lines, F. W. Bates/ Digby Lee. 3rd Dly, League: Hollandia v.

RIL (PP from 13/10/56), II.V. 2 p.m. Ref. Chan Ping-tak: Lines. Luk Tat-sun/Mak Hin-DECEMBER 23 jet Div. League: Sing Too v.

Eastern, Club 3.30 p.m. Ref. R. Webb: Lines. A. Cameron/F. Navy v: CAA, Navy 3.30 p.m. Ref. L. Chang; Lines, R. and Crook being back in the Sparkes/A. A. James. Army v. St. Joseph's, Bound-Junior Shield: Tung Wah v.

> W. Bates; Lines, Lai Shiuwing/Luk Tat-sup. Aircraft v. South China, Club 1.45 p.m. Ref. J. Moore; Lines. Watsons/Police v. St. Joseph's, Boundary St. 1.45 p.m. Ref. F. A. Barretto; Lines. F. J. O'Brien/Chan\_Ping-tak. 2nd Div. League: B. & S. v.

> Tramways (PP from 14/10/60);

H.V.\3.30 p.m. Ref. Li-Ping-

pul: Lines Li Fook-on/Chan Mon-chong. 3rd Div. League! Caroling Hill v. S. & S. Tomar (PP from E! G. S. Ley; Lines Chan-Shlu-chuen/Hau-Bik-wai. CMB v. Rediffusion (PP from 14/10/56), H.V. 3.30 p.m. Ref. Murphy/Wong Yuk Chun...

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## Natekar Loses Singles Title To

New Delhi, Dec. 16.

T. N. Seth, of Uttar Product, retained the Men's Singles title in the Indian National Budminton Championships beating Nanda: Natekar of Bombay. 16-15 15-11 18-14 in a grim 80-minute final here today.

Natekar was the title in 1962 and 1954 but did not take persiminate perimeter.

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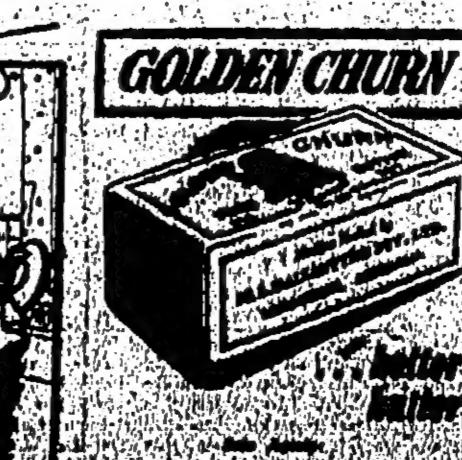
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SPORTS: ROUND-UP

Bert Trautmann Will Have

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Regain His Place

goalkeeper, practically fit again after breaking his neck in

last May's Cup Final, will have to fight to regain his place

Bert Trautmann, Manchester City's German-born

Croydon-born John Savage for whom City paid

# PSYCHOLOGICAL FACTORS SET THE RAZOR'S EDGE OF DEFEAT OR VICTORY

Says ROGER BANNISTER

Apart from the atmosphere of friendliness so successfully created by Australia, there were two outstanding features of the Melbourne Games.

First, the incessant, irresistible surge of record-breaking, with seventeen new records in the 24 men's athiettic events, and new records in all nine women's events; second, Britain's amazing recovery in all-round sporting ability, which enabled us to gain five Gold Medals compared with only one at Helsinki four years before.

America in the final bullion as much as put a foot on the 180 lb, to edvantage, hauled count will at any rate prevent track; but perhaps Baron de back the four-feet lead inch the repetition of one inter- Coubertin would forgive them. by inch, and twenty yards from national incident at Helsinki. In the men's sprints there the topo the two fighters were Gold Medals in a day with their stead of tenths. gymnastics and Greco-Roman wrestling. Even allowing for a than twenty years no coloured portance with the medals for the myth that they are inherent-

athletics.

By comparison, the Russians' much-vaunted men's track judgment of a hopelessly fast records. Times do not make the teams gained only three modals, first helf of the race cost Lou better runner. Zatopek ran fast against America's fifteen. Out- Jones, the world record-holder, enough to shake off his opposiout by any training machine, were influenced by this loss of Russia, on the other hand, ex- Judgment under the increasing can we ask? celled at the sports in which nervous strain of Olympic compainstaking drilling is essential, petition. and also in the feam games. But it was amusing to see their soccer team completely at a loss when they faced a situation not described in the textbooks. This was when eight Indonesian players stuck round their own goal the whole game. Most British Third Division teams would have improvised tactics to meet the situation; the Indonesians forced the Russians to a statemate. But by thinking about it for two days, the Russians won the replay 4-0.

#### PARTISANSHIP

with the idea of applauding all ment when, eighty yards from victors equally, but after a few the tape, Johnson courageously days, of course, a little partisan- seized the opportunity to fling ship crept in at the sight of an himself into the narrow gap of Australian vest. The schoolgirls daylight that opened suddenly

The fact that Rustia led beaut" whenever Betty Cuthbert ney.

Here the Russians kept a most was a full in the record-break- level, every muscle taut, their claborate scoreboard, event by mg, and I have no doubt that strength fading with each stride, event. When they started losing the curve of sprint improve- It was Johnson who told the to America, an enterprising ment, being less affected than tottering and disbelieving journalist who saw them hastily distance running by new train- Courtney that he had won, and dismantling it, cabled: "Russians ing methods, is flattening out, gave him friendly but unstendy caught with their points down." Soon we shall time sprint races support. This pair rank with

> For the first time for more ly faster.

standing athletes are not turned the Gold Medal. Many races tion at Helsinki in most de-

#### BEST PERFORMANCE

Derek Johnson's race in the 800 Metres against the great American, Tom Courtney, ranks with Brasher's steeplechase as the Best performance of the Games, and has something of the same significance. Johnson, by combining outstanding natural ability with tactical and competitive sense, re-established the British claim to produce great middle-distance runners. which has wantd slightly since Tommy Hampson won our last 800-Metre Gold Medul in 1932.

The Australian crowd set out I shall never forget the mobehind me shrieked "Betty, you between A. Boyson and Court-

The American, using his

The 5,000 and 10,000 Metres showed that the martie of natural bias, I hardly think sprinter finished in the first Zatopek has fallen on Kuts. these medals rank equal in im- three in the 100 Metres, shaking disagree with those who say Kuts is necessarily a better runner than Zatopek because he In the 400 Metres the mis- has broken Zatopek's Olympic vastating fashion; what more

> I have a feeling of sadness that Zatopek's record should be eclipsed by a less colourful personality who cannot, in Zatopek's masterly way, take stock not only of the other competitors but also of the crowd. Zatopek was, after all, the origirator of the punishing training that Kuts follows. Like so many inventors he has seen others gain greater benefit from his invention than he did himself. I do not wish to detract from the magnificence of Kuts' victory, and we have certainly not heard the last of him, but I wonder whether he will live as vividly in our memories as Zatopek or Nurmi.

Few spectators realise the margin of improvement that must be expected in these distance races. The ultimate limit must be at least 20 to 30 sees faster than the 5,000 Mertes we saw in Melbourne, and even in the 10,000 Metres. showed that is still possible for truly amateur to win Gold Medal in the men's distance track evente, but the runner who aspires to defeat Kuts must not only have great natural ability, he must train for the women, for whom rigorous and scientific training is in its infancy, we must expect a margin of improvement in all events far greater than that of the men.

### FIELD EVENTS

In the field events there was l a ray of hope that may encourage others to give more attention to these Cinderellas of Phurnoh excelled his previous best performance by 4 ft. in the Discus, to win fourth place among the world's strong men. No British athlete has had better than sixth place in this event since 1896.

Watching countless Olympic races recently has heightened my belief that so fer as they can be separated, there is much less difference between the phyround on Tuesday. The Aussle sical ability of various athletes than in their mental strength. The quality needed by the vicfors is the capacity for mental excitement which brings with it In the final two inter-Zone the ability to overcome or ignore the discomfort - even day, Ramanathan Krishnan

pain-of supreme effort. It is the psychological factors that set the razor's edge of de-7-6, 6-4, 6-3. Giammalva pre- feat or victory, and determine sented the US with its fourth how close an athlete approaches "However, I might switch the victory in the best-of-five to the absolute limit of per-

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NO CHANGE IN U.S. TEAM

## **Players** India Will Face December 26-28

Perth, Australia, Dec. 17. The same four players who saw action in the 4-1 victory over India in the inter-Zone final will represent the United States in the Davis Cup challenge round matches against Australia, the non-playing captain, Billy Talbert, announced today.

Vic Seixas, Herb Flam, Sam Giammalva and Mike British athletic endeavour. Mark Green were chosen to meet the defending champion Aussies at Adelaide, from December 26 to 28.

Meanwhile, Harry Hopman, on what form they show during non-playing captain of the Aus- workouts at Adelaide," said tralian team, revealed that his Talbert. four-man squad would consist of Lew Hoad, Ken Rosewall, Ashley Cooper and Neale Fraser to leave here by plane tonight - virtually the same line-up for Adelaide and will start working out for the challenge that reclaimed the Cup from the Yanks last year at Forest Hills, New York.

Talbert indicated that he would use Scixas and Flam in the opening singles matches against the Aussies and then team Selxes with Giammalva in saved India from a complete the doubles. whitewash by defeating Green

### WORKOUTS

boys around, especially in series by routing Noresh Kumar formance. doubles, but that will depend 6-3, 6-4, 6-2.—United Press.

## INSTRUCTIONS: FILL in the spaces against

each of the clues below with a word related to my life. The letters in

who am I?

The U.S. team is scheduled

team also is expected to report

to Hopman in Adelaide on

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11 Famous castle 12 Hoppy story

Solution on Page 9







This is Ann Morton, Britain's Olympic swimmer, who failed to qualify for the 100 Metres Butterfly Stroke final at Melbourne. - Central Press Photo.

# tismantling it, cabled: "Russians rought with their points down." The Russians won twelve roll methods, is flattening out. This pair rank with roll methods of a second in stead of tenths. Courtney that he had won, and gaze him friendly but unsteady bu Is On The Way Out -Back To Rubber Now

By ERIC NICHOLLS

Sponge, that peculiar type of rubber which produces a plip and a plop, and which has been wielded with such force and with favourable results by the ladies and gentlemen of Japan, is on the way out.

Since its introduction to table tennis it has caused more arguments than anything the game has ever known.

tions calling for its abolition. tentions. Three times they have passed the buck straight back to the and English Table Tennis Asindividual member countries,

Those who claim to be "in the know" have not been reluctant follow suit, "Gloucestershire's to proclaim their views to the decision is a wise one," he told table tennis world, that sponge would die a natural death after the game." the novelty had worn off.

But sponge, although no longer a novelty, is still very much la evidence, Then why is it on the way

The English table tennis authorities, having compared our experienced players have the plip and the plop of sponge with the ping and the pong of pimpled rubber. have decided that sponge is not exactly what the doctor ordered.

formed after a swift piece of something about it." with frightening dedication. As mental arithmetic which has revealed a decided drop in attendances, Sponge has taken the blame

and, I feel, rightly so. WAR ON SPONGE

Gloucestershire, feaders in the County Champio whip, have already declared war on sponge. The executives have decided Barna says too many players tothat next season no player who uses a bat covered with anything but normal rubber will be considered for county games.

## British Jockey Wins Indian Classic Worth £3,075

Bombay, Dec. 16. Britain's jockey Frankle Durr, riding Titwillow, today won the Indian One Thousand Guiners—first of the seasons five classics-worth £3,075.

Titwillow (Willoughton—Titli) started at eight to one and finished a length ahead of Vestilear (nine to two) in the field of twelve Indian bred

Freemanor, favourite at three to one, was one and three quarters of a length further away third.-Reuter.

Men's "C" Division: Chung Choong V St Stephens,
Ladies' Doubles: CYMCA v YWCA:
CCC "Yellow" v Recreto "White":
Recreto "Blue" v CCC "Green".
Hockey
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### TOMORROW

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Three times the International | As far as Gloucestershire are | Think hard, you table tennis Federation has been presented eccepterned, they leave no doubt enthusiasts. The life of your with strongly-worded resolu- in our minds about their in- favourite sport is in danger.

> When I spoke to Kent selector sociation: representative Conrad Jaschke on the subject, he thought his own county would me. "Sponge has been killing

Enter Victor Barna, once a world champion, now maker of champions as a coach, "I had an open mind on sponge," he says, "until I went to Paris and saw youngsters starting off ice the game with sponge bats. Many of switched to sponge. That is mot so bad, for they still have their game. But when youngsters with nothing but the big hit without footwork, ball comtrol, or style of any sort are And their views have been seen, then it is time to do

### **EXACT DEFINITIONS**

Sponge will stay for a while, until the authorities can work out new rules to provide exact definitions of what is and what is not a 'legal' bat. But its days are numbered.

I couldn't agree more when day spend their time in scarching for new materials instead of working hard to improve their game. Such players, he explains, prefer to bank on the "weapon" instead of their own

Look at the attendance figures and you have to agree that table tennis as a spectacle is being counted out. No personalliles and no spectacles means no spectators and no gate

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to go away and play under and away on the same night. the lights. Gillingham played floodlit league game at Brentford in September, when hey lost by a last-minute goal. Since then they have refused all offers of floodlit League

#### NO MORE BOXING

ball for over two months.

in the League side.

Marciano, world heavyweight champion, to fight Floyd Patterson, the ber 15, 1958. new champion. Says Marciano: "I retired seven months ago, and I'm going to stay retired. I know I could get half a 11,12.66. million dollars. But I'm not going to make the mistake Joe Louis made, the mistake Jim Jeffries much. I'm going to do what Gene Tunney did-stay

Halifax £4,000 in November, 1958, is playing so well, the board is likely to be split when the time comes to decide. Charles Hurley, Millwall's Joe Erskine, British Heavyyoung Eire international weight Champion, will fight
centre-half will, if the Army
agrees, spend a fortnight at
the Garston Rehabilitation
Centre at Watford for treatment that will complete his recovery afrom a knee injury may get a crack at Floyd that has kept him out of foot- Patterson's world title.

Hurley, who is still on National Ronnie Greene, Service, would be in the hands speedway promoter, has put a of George Brown, brother of scheme forward for considera-Roy Brown, Watford's centre- tion by his fellow promotors that, at Garston. that would loave speedway Gillingham are one club who with only one division for next do not agree, with the playing season. Mr Greene's idea is of League games under flood- for each club, to have two light. Gillingham cannot afford teams of four ricers, each team lights themselves, and think it being of equal strength. The unfair to expect their players two teams would race home

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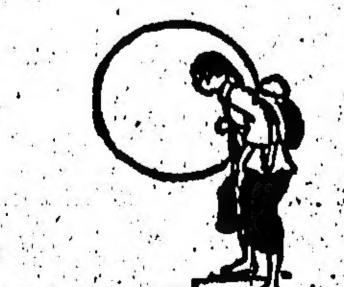
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## JUTE-THE FIBRE WITH A HUNDRED

By S. H. GORDON-BOX

is almost certain that the bread on your breakfast table, the vegetables and even the condiments on your plate at lunch, the sugar in your coffee and the coffee itself have been transported and stored in jute bags or sacks. And it does not stop there.

The carpet or linoleum you allowing its contents to are walking on has a jute cloth "breathe". But even with foundation, and your arm-chair these virtues continual research has many yards of jute must be carried out to widen material beneath its smart its uses and to make it serve exterior of velvet or moquette, its users better. In fact, if it were not for jute, we should all find life a lot more difficult than it is, for up to now there is no complete and adequate sub-

stitute to take its place. Jute in its original state is a vegetable fibre obtained from the bark of a tail, reed-like plant grown in Pakistan and India by thousands of pensant cultivators. The total annual from approximately 1,250,000 hectares is in the region of 10,000,000 bales, and 65 per cent of this total comes from Pakistan.

In a rather whirlwind tour railway wagon covers, and for of Dundee jute mills recently I scenery for theatres and film watched the bules of com- sets. pressed jute fibre being transformed from harsh brown blocks into woven cloth of many different weaves and

The processes, to the layman, the samples I saw several antiare not unlike those employed rotting solutions were being in the manufacture of woollen tried out. cloth, except that the machines have been specially designed methods for the harsh and enormously research have meant that in

The fibres are first softened per man has increased by 37 and then passed through a per cent during the past seven number of carding machines years. Jute, which has long until the jute flows out in a been one of the world's great continuous stream of fine commercial fibres, possess today well-groomed film star, before, Later on it is spun into yarn of various thicknesses, and when it has been through a starch solution and carefully dried, it is ready to go to the weaving shed. where the newest automatic looms, both flat and tubular, weave the yurn into miles of jute cloth of

#### many widths and textures. MODERNISATION

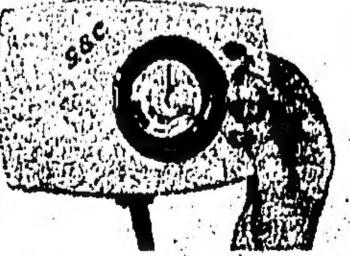
Incidentally since the war, an enormous sum of money has been spent on modernisathroughout the industry with the result that Britain is the forefront of the industries for world's jute efficiency and production.

At a later stage of my tour suw the jute cloth being turned into many different kinds of sacks and bags,

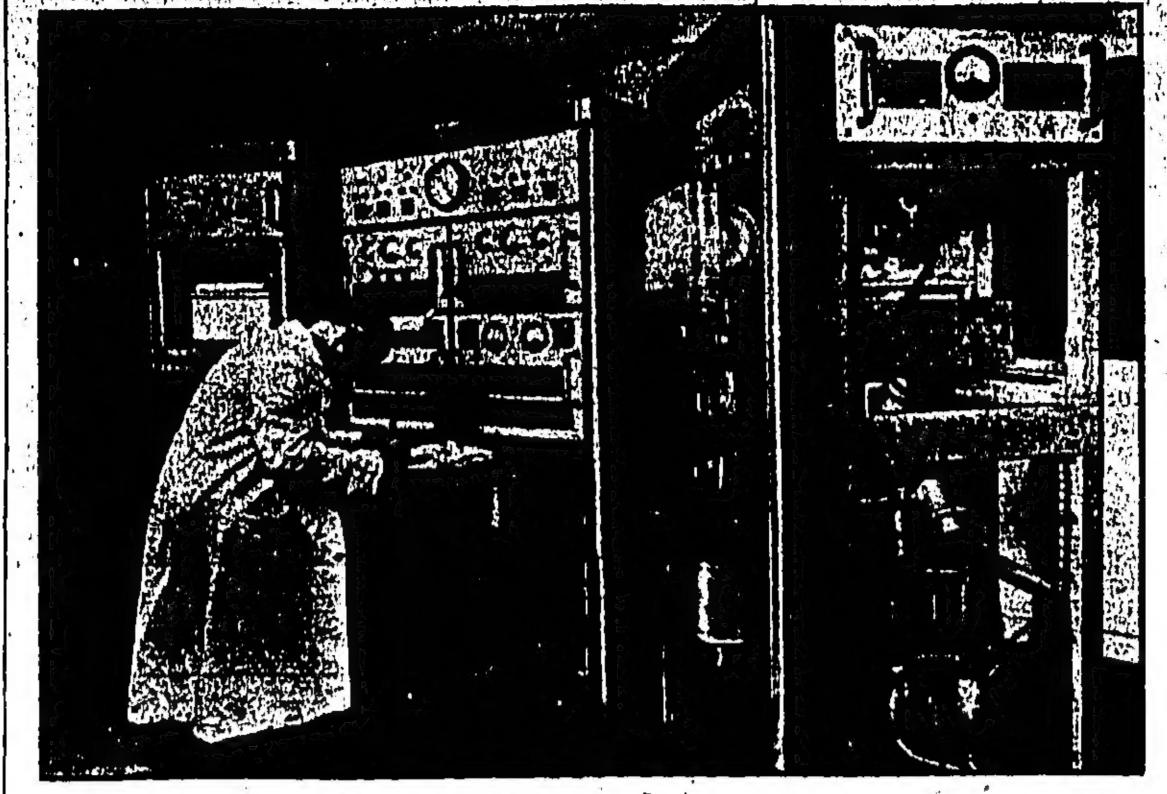
had an impression of veritably endless flow of cloth being cut into lengths, of seam stitching of many types being done with lightning speed by hundreds of sewing machines, and of huge piles of sewn bags passing one by one every second through the printing machines where they received the stamp, in as many as four colours, which proclaimed their purpose — sugar poultry, food, fertiliser, cattle feed or dog meal.

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expansion programme.

out, and some doubt existed a Perkins P6 engine, whether the industial programme would go forward. However, the IAPA is meeting its commitments, after

to private enterprise, The main order is for 65 type C40A and 200 F80A port- on civil engineering able air compressors, and the state-sponsored industrial ancillaries include

pumps, stopers and drifters. The type C40A has a piston Sweden, could be filled, the lb/in2 (4.52 in3 at 7 kg/cm2). Buenos Aires.

An order for nearly anti-Peronisia revolution broke This compressor is powered by

The F80A compressor has a piston displacement of 394 ft3 (11.16 mn) per min, and a free air delivery of 315 fts/min at 100 lb/ln2 (8.9m2 at 7 kg/cm2). which it will close down and future buying will be restored This model is driven by a Leyland 0600 diesel.

The equipment is being used such as quarrying. trench making, and bridge construction and repair.

Climax equipment is already Before the order, which was displacement of 197 fts (5.57 well known in the Argentine, current) or there will be pocket radio could be given won against strong competition may per min, with a free air where the company's agents golden hair—like the tresses of a greater versatility than ever from the US, Germany and delivery of 160 ft<sup>3</sup>/min at 100 are Merex Argentina SA of

## Britain's Contribution To Development Of Ferrites

By FRANK CLAWES

DROBABLY few people could, if challenged, say what ferrites arc, but few people, too, in Europe and America at least, do not possess some or have never been served by them.

particular scientific developments depend species of magnetic material, upon high frequency electrical Now magnetic materials have currents—particularly the whole long been known and used, range of radio television and The carliest Chinese civilisa—radar. Hence the importance tions are believed to have been of ferrites. acquainted with lodestones and the great sea voyages of mediaeval European merchants are. What are they used for? were made possible by crude Well, anyone who has a These television set has some ferrites. magnets of this kind. 'natural" metallic and so conducted electricity.

The new materials—ferrites -are artificial compound ferrie oxide with the oxide of nother suitable methl: manganese, nickel, and zinc are most commonly used. ferrites have the same magnetic properties as the old lodestones but, in addition, they have a high resistance to electrical current. This resistance they owe to the fact that they are not metallic; they are, in fact, a ceramic material, very hard, and made up of tiny cubeshaped crystals,

Current Losses

peculiar combination of properties magnetic on the one hand and insulating on other—that the great value of the ferrites lies. For as soon as you want to make use of the magnetism of natural magnetite in an electrical circuit you are daced with the problem that you have got conductivity as well. For certain purposes this may not matter and for others it may perhaps be overcome by insulation.

But if the current is operating at a high frequency the problem is not so easily over- to the discovery of transistors come; it is more than likely in place of valves pocket radio that there will be eddy current sets became losses (losses of skin effect (a reduced surface either an efficient aerial that impedance to flow).

Ferrites can also be used in

Pocket

So much for what ferrites

Used around the neck of the

tube the ferrites focus the

pictures.

cabinet,

beams which produce the

Ferrites should soon help to

ahorten the length of the tube

-an important step because it

is the length of the tube that

now largely governs the

present size of the television

Looking further shead one

could forecast the eventual

replacement of the cathoda ray

tube for viewing if only a

ferrite transparent to light

Ferrites are also used in

Computers such as the

"Pegasus" or "Mercury" models

have thousands of ferrite rings

in each matrix used as a

memory cell. Each ring can

be put in a permanent state of

registering "yes" or "co" to a

signal and the information thus

stored can be read off by the

simple process of passing an

electric current and seeing

digital computers or electronic

brains as they are sometimes

could be evolved

what happens.

midget radio receivers. Tranks Induced medice require But, of was too large to carry in the course, many of the newest, pocket or an aerial that would go in the pocket but was far from efficient.

> Ferrite aerial rods, however, can offer both efficiency and a size commonsurate with real pocket radios

There are countless other uses in radar and, of course, many secret applications in the sphere of guided missiles,

What is clear is that the traordinary material are by no means exhausted and be a principal aim of the convention to throw light on the avenues of study along which research proceeding.

The manufacture of is now a matter economic significance. Because ierrites are not classifiable components in the conventional sense it is difficult to assess their monetary worth,

But one British firm alone is producing ferrites in hundreds of millions a year (it must be remembered that a single memory cell might contain several thousand ferrite rings). and a useful export trade is being built up.

## **ANDREWS TOLEDO** CENTENARY

This year Andrews Toledo, Ltd. Sheffield alloy steel-makers in the Darwins, Ltd., group, celebrate their centenary.

Since the founding of the firm in 1856 by J. H. Andrews, the firm have been well-known exporters of steel and steel Andrews Toledo. products." Ltd., was formed in 1929 and amalgamated with Darwins, Ltd., nine yenry later.

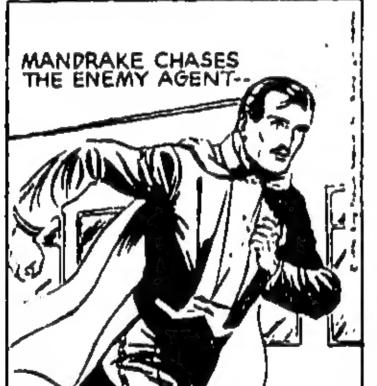
The Toledo sicels themselves cover a very wide range. They include carbon; nickel, chrome, nickel-molybdenum. chromemolybdonum, manganese-nickelmolybdenum, molybdenum, nickel chroms and nickel-chrome-molybdenum steels. Others are grouped by application, e.g. nitriding, volve, spring, file and stainless

In general these steels are for highly-stressed mechanical parts, such as those in aircraft road vehicles, locomotives generators, high-pressure boilers or atomic plant; consequently many of them come within the EN series of the BSI specifications.

Andrews Tologo, List, have long been exporters of special sies for mining olificity and many other industries.

### MANDRAKE THE MAGICIAN

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FERD'NAND

NANCY

FIRE-PROOFING

a short visit to the laboratories

of the British Jute Trade

Research Association. There I

saw a few of the problems

to which answers have been

Fire-proofing, which not only

qualities but increases its

resistance to abrasion, can be

carried out on a very large

scale, for coal mines, which

need about 4,000,000 metres of

cloth annually, for rick covers,

Rot proofing is a more com-

to be done with regard to the

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the bug comes into contact.

weathering

Before I left Dundee I paid





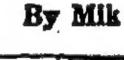


By Lee Falk and Phil Davis





There's More than Magic in



By Ernie Bushmiller







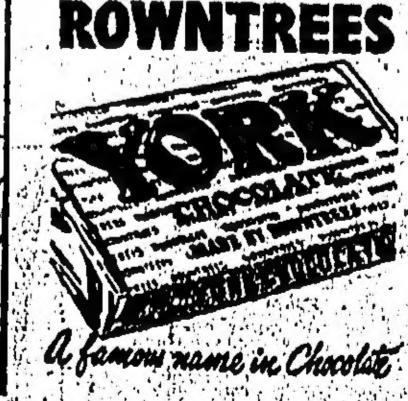






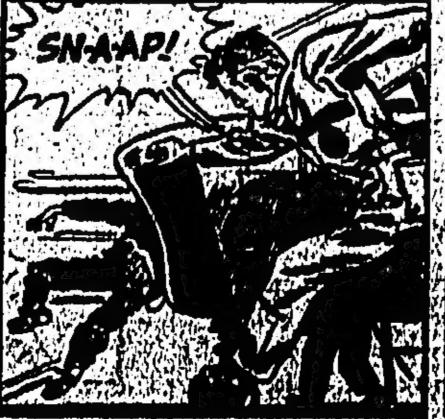






### JOHNNY HAZARD









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# US Mobilise Forces To Aid Hongkong

## US COTTON GOODS **MARKET** REVIEW

New York, Dec. 16. Cotton goods sellers reported another week of discouragingly slow business-the eleventh in a

Few chiervers saw indications of an early break-up in the business stalement before the holidays and the engine inventory-taking period

hopeful observers counted on the usual January pick-up, but others remained uncertain until they have a chance to gauge extent of consumer Christmas buying.

Holiday apporel buying has been devloped on the scale anticipated earlier Only an extraordinary pickup in buying during the on-coming week could change present paychology, it was felt. Unless that happens in January may witness a rash of markdown This in turn could conthe customary historically a big promotion event in textiles,

#### MILD WEATHER

for an explanation for the business slow-down. among other—things, reflected: 1. Unsepsonably mild weather and the resultant disruption of retail merchandising plans; 2 Completion with low-priced imports of apparel and piece goods: 3. Tight money policy with the resultant cautious accumulations: Uncertainty over future government cotton policy with a possibility that price supports for raw cotton may be lowered next year,

In grey goods, lower-priced resale offerings kept the print market off balance, Second-hand offerings average make 80-sguares moved at 18% cents, or about 12 to Straits Trading h cent under the mill level.

While first hands still hold a good unfilled order position, a fair accumulation of spots was reported. On forward positions, a brokers said it is not clear what the mills will do Most of them said there is no sence in quoting anything but present prices until "market evotiment swings the Other was "

kultters curtailed advance buywhite watching holiday relail activity. In rayon grey prices were reported One large weaver will down on spun yarn fabrics for entire Christmas Ratio week.-United Press.

# Europe

## COMPANIES HASTEN SUPPLEMENT WEST'S OIL SUPPLIES

By JOHN MORKA

New York, Dec. 16. The US last week began mobilising its forces to feed oil to Western Europe.

The official "green light" on the oil-for-Europe programme touched off a burst of activity unseen in US petroleum circles since the fifteen-company emergency committee (MEEC) aimed at supplying Europe with Suez-crisis oil was put into mothballs when British and French forces moved into Egypt.

I Growing confidence that to about 400,000 barrels a day, has practically disappeared." Western Hemisphere would be If the US goal is to be obtained, able to supply Europe with it will take the greatest kind of about 500,000 barrels of oil day in about one month. Over the meath of November, acting January "white goods" sale: - on their own the 15 companies long-range target calling for a recommendation by the

## Singapore Market analysis, searching Stock Market

Singapore, Dec. 17 Brokers today quoted the folh wing stock prices: The to Lordang Hubber Co. Ltd. \$1 77 British Borneo Petroleum Consolidated Tin Smelters France & Neave Ltd. Ord. Fraser & Nenve Ltd 745% Gammons (Malays) Limited \$2.00 Hongkong & Shanghai Bank-Hongkong Tin Ltd Lamon Rubber Estates Ltd. Malayan Brewerles ... New Serandah Rubber Co. Petaling Tin Ltd. Singapore Cold Storage Bouth British Insurance Co Straits Steamship United Engineers Ord \* exdiv -China Mail Special

Statement

London, Dec. 16. The Bank of England state-In e. Hon yarns, weavers and | ment for the week ended Dec. 12, reads as follows:

Notes in circulation 17,577,220 Private deposits Government aggressities Other securities

239,131,629

## Moderate Decline Wall Street

By ELMER WALZER

New York, Dec. 16.

Stocks retraded 30 per cent of their sharp rise of Nov 29-Dec. 7 in the first three sessions last week and then met selective support.

The net result, however, was a moderate decline in all leading groups. Many selected stocks managed to register substantial gains with the specialty steels the best performers.

Steels and aircrafts commuted | 492.08 off 2.71 points on the the list making new highs for week; rails 155.24 off 3.14; the year. That list also in- utilities 67.50 off 0.36; and 65 cluded some cements, mercan- stocks 172.64 off 1.51. inca' one sorbibile issues vivo rall, equipments as well as several apecialties.

Industrial shares had risen 30:68 points from the low on closing levels. Nov. 29 to the high on Dec. 7. By Wednesday this had been whittled down 11.03 points or 30 per cent. Rails rose 7.4 per cent in the same period—10.94 points. They fell harder—0.99 points or 64 per cent.

respectively from the 1955

behaved very well, meeting looking for some new tax resome support after losing about ductions.

Shillings, Woolwooting 3/6 and nearly five shillings, for some new tax reshillings, Woolwooting 3/6 and nearly five shillings.

Refine Royce gained four nearly five shillings. one-third of its sharp gains in the period ending Dec. 7. Not a few of them anticipated a new year-end buying drive

co-operation in routining tankers. Without this kind of co-operaabout 1,000,000 barrels a day

### Crude Production

might be seriously hampered.

all-time record, increasing last significance for beyond conweek by about 220,000 barrels siderations of trade and tariffs. daily to a new peak of 7,853,000 | The New York Times editorially barrels a day. The boost was last week welcomed Elsenhowattributed to the sharp pickup er's veto but found it difficult in demand from an oil-hungry | "to reconcile with his order two Europe now blocked from months ago increasing duties on would like to see a boost in the | Times noted, "are not going to production figure by about solve the problem of the New 400,000 barrels daily if England fishing industry." Europe's requirements are to be met. Key to any production expansion, is, of course, the state of Texas, biggest producer. But so far the oil industry has been somewhat cautious about increasing allowable production; right now crude oil stocks are Association ful levels." The Association maists US cil to Europe should be taken from above-ground United Press.

The oil-to-Europe programme. in addition to possibly being hampered by tanker shortages, adequate pipeline facilities, might olso find itself faced with shortages of steel, in the event new storage facilities or pipelines ere deemed essential.

### Aid For Europe

Financial circles last week were considerably reassured by efforts of the United States, Great Britain and France to patch up their political differences vis-avis the Sucz Canal via economic approaches. The International Monetary Fund credit of 1,300 million dollars to Great Britain along with reports of a further loan ranging to about 500 million to 1,000 million dollars from the Export-Import Bank, were generally hailed as new assurances that the British had no intention of devaluating the pound.

The question of another round of economic aid to Europealong the lines of the Marshal Plan-appears to be in "wait-ond-see' stage right now, and little action along this line is expected before the beginning

of next year. Some American officials and businessmen are strongly sceptical about such an economic programme at this time. Many considerably exaggerated. Others

resort to one direct aid. in maken, the laste is bound to in about three weeks.

## Car Sales Off

doming out a record amount of first such a record amount of first such a record amount of steel, autos holding high such a record amount of steel, autos holding high such a record such as a rec

There were these develop-, were able to step the flow of cent, in France, it adds, "the oil from an insignificant trickle | market for new American cars

Elsewhere in the US, the

spotlight was on inflation, tight money and President Eisenhowtion, many feel the possible er's decision last week revers ag Tariff Commission that duties on groundfish fillets be reised imports of groundlish filler come mainly from Canada Iceland and Norway, Observers 2 US crude production hit an | eaw in the President's action Middle East sources. Experts wool fabrics." Higher tariffs, the

### Constantly Demand

In noting the economic importance of Iceland's filler exponts, the Times added further: "The continued export of Allela high, and exceeding the levels from the United States, but it is of a year ago by about 50 for Iceland, just as the export million barrels. The independent of watches is for Switzerland, of choose for Denmark, figs for America warned last week that Greece and Turkey, and so on the problem of supplying oil through a long list of products to Europe could add to US for which very small but highly protection irrespective of the international consequences, ---

## WEEKLY COTTON MARKET REVIEW

By WILLIAM T. PLUNKETT

New York, Dec. 16. Cotton futures drifted irregularly lower last week in one of the quietest trading periods of year.

At Friday's close the ruled off 66 to up 9 points. After a slower start, prices refited briskly in mid-week, influenced by strength in the expired December delivery, and news of a sharp boost in soll bank payments to be made to producers next year.

Subsequently, the market gave ground again technical realising, based partly on the idea that the soil bank rally was too rapid. reflecting uncertainties about farm legislation which may be introduced when Cingress reconvenes in January.

The December delivery went off the board Wednesday at 34.72 cents a pound, setting the season's high in the final dealings. Compared with the STORES, FIC. season's low of 28:30 cents. registered on Nov. 2, 1956.

The quiet mill demand for INVESTMENTS spot cotton, and the third week Allied of amalier producer entries under the loan programme, helped to cool the buying enthusiasm generated by the soil bank announcement,

The government's final crop published on Monday, had little market influence. indicated Dec. 1 yield of 13,803,000 bales came 150,000 bales ahead of the previous estimate and was in line with trade expectations.

Cotton exports continued at rapid rate, Shipments through Dec. 11 were reported 1,985,757 bales compared with 575,885 bales reported to the same period last year,

US export cotton stocks of gasoline, described as articulate groups of domestic attributed to rebuilding of low "for above excessive and waste- producers constantly demand stocks by foreign consumers, with the Suez blockade lending impetus to the demand,---United

# London Market Bullish But Troubled

By C. T. HALLINAN

London, Dec. 16. Outwardly, a very bullish week; inwardly, a troubled week. Factors which drove the professional bears to buy in the stocks they had sold were: The retreat of war in the Middle East into the middle distance, the improvement in sterling, the signs that America, though full of disapproval for Britain's handling of her foreign affairs, was ready to help the country over its heavy oil shortage.

Nobody questioned these points but they had little effect upon the market's general misgivings about Britain's economic outlook.

to its all-time low of 161.5 on shillings. At any rate, whatever action November 29, an 8 per cent fall

gained between one and two ascended and non-assented,

feel that the economic chaos in heavy all week with the Finan- the Western world will not crease in costs as has arisen or Europe arising from the Sucz cial Times industrial index allow them to exploit, through is likely to arise from the recrisis might in effect have been closing at 175.9, the same as the souring prices, the existing percussions of the Middle East November peak reached on world shortage of oil. Royal situation or the continued insist that existing institutions Nov. 7. But that November Dutch tumbled 12/6, British hardening in the cost of impeak proved a mistake at the Petroleum four shillings. Shell ported materials and ocean Europe economically without time for the index promptly fell Transport and Burman three freights." Sucz Canal shares, keeping The Board has further raised

respectively from the 1955 Congress insamuch as the issue closing levels.

Market experts said the list books of millions of Americans is the policy firm, rose 5/9d.

Market experts said the list books of millions of Americans is the policy firm, rose 5/9d. German Dowes Loon, both after next Monday's price in-

This excludes the shares amented and the 7 per cent Business news generally was 2,862,209 shures circly against a favourable with steel mills daily average of 2,397,864 shares demand out a record amount of in the previous ments.

# STOCK EXCHANGE

(From Our Correspondent)

Business done on the Hong-Stock Exchange this morning amounted to opproximately \$270,000. Noon quota-Shares Buyers Sellors Sales

HK Bank SHIPPING Wheelocks d 50 0.00 2000 or 6.65 DOCKS ETC Provident LAND, ETC HK Hotel 100 st 14,20 2000 9 14.00 1.40 10,000 in 1.375 RUBBER 21,20 23,40 1000 # 23,20

C. Light (0) 23,80 \$3,90 300 @ 23.60 31.76 82 100 m 32 Macao E Telephone 241, 24.70 1300 # 241<sub>2</sub> 500 40 24.60 23,60 23.70 1635 # 23.00 SIMPROUM COTTONS 71, 7.60 500 # 7.50 Namyong

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# UK Steel And fron Prices

London, Dec. 16. and steel products are to be cess polely Hungarian bauxite, increased by an average is especially alarmed and East Germany also is reported to six per cent, with effect have expressed concern over the from next Monday, the Iron suspension of Hungarian bauxite Some of the large buying of and Steel Board announced deliveries. Hungary has been

The Board said the increases reflect a "aubstantial net crease in the cost of production and some adjustment of profitmargins, which is necessary to support the heavy capital investment for the continuing the expense of heavy industry expansion of the industry

For most products, the crease in price is less than six per cent but in some special cases such as plates, heavy sections and foundry pig iron, where capital expenditure is required on a considerable scale in the next few years, the price increases are more than 10 per

According to "the Financial Times," the higher prices should yield the steel industry between 40 million and 50 million pounds per year (112,000,000 to 140,000,000 dollars.).

Steel prices were last raised in May whon an average increase of five per cent was authorised.

### LATEST REVIEW

The latest price review compensates the steel industry for cost increases ignored in the May review, and takes into account rises in coal prices in June and the increase in landed costs of imported materials up to the closing of the Sucz Canal.

However, the Board state-Nevertheless the buying was the conviction prevailed that has been made for "such in-

The Board estimated that even on the everage, still be roughly ruling in Western Europe,

# **UPSETS** RED ECONOMY

By IVAN ZVERINA

New York, Dec. 16. The Hungarian revolt and the victory of national communism in Poland have seriously affected the closely knit economy of Communist Eastern Europe, including Russia, economic experts here said today.

The complete standstill of Quering the last eight years production in Hungary and the Russia had taken 83 per cent liberalisation economy through concessions shipyands and 95 per cent of all gained from Moscow by Polish Polish-built ships of 5,000 tons Communist party leader Vludy- and more. The total Polishslaw Gomulka are having a built tormage delivered to serious impact on satellite pro- Russia in the years 1949 through soo w 13.00 duction plans and delivery 1955 was 275,000 tons. At the quotas worked out carefully at some time tonnage of the Pothe beginning of this year, these kish encohant marine remained experts said.

> The economic picture is so critical that an emergency meeting of the East European Council for mutual economic assistance (COMECON) is being prepared for the near future at the urging of reveral of its members, particularly East Ger-Czechoslovakia

#### Tied Economies

The OOMEOON plans for this year tied the economies of the Russia alone. Only 8.2 million East European nations closely together through specialisation of raw materials as well as three or more satellite countries.

The greatest blow to this tightly balanced economy the Hungarian revolt late in October when Hungarian exports of bauxite and finished or semi-finished aluminium duple were vintually suspended. With the nation still paralysed by strikes and with its transportation in chaos, economic expents here sow little chance of these deliveries being resumed in foreseeable future.

Częchoslovakia, where a huge industrial complex has been Maximum prices of iron built in central Slovakla to proobliged to export over 70 per cent of her bauxite for the needs of the Soviet and Sovietdominated economy, in particular aircraft production.

> In Poland, the economy slowly being geored to more consumer goods production at or, where the same cate of heavy industrial production is maintained, a larger slice of it being used by Poland itself the expense of deliveries Russia and other East European countries, the experts said.

### Painful Pinch

The most painful pinch as a result of Gomulka's recently won independence of complete Moscow domination will be in COMECON's shipping and shipbuilding sector, in Poland's coal deliveries and in the production of rolling stock, of which some 95 per cent went to Russia in

Poland's of the total outper of Pollan unchanged all these years. In fact, it dropped from 882,000 tons in 1951 to 381,000 in 1955,

these experts said, This year, ofter the October change in the Warsaw regime, the shipbuilding picture will be different. The New Gomulko five-year plan envisages the building of 795,000 shipping, of which 300,000 tons is to remain in Poland.

Similarly affected will be Polish deliveries of coal. 1955 the COMECON plan called for a Polish quota of 10,000,000 tons of coal to be delivered to tons were actually delivered, national Russia paying only for transportation, these experts said;

#### 'Poland First'

Poland also used to deliver industrial goods to Asian and African countries, most of these masked as Soviet exports. These deliveries were again determined by COMECON and consisted, for example, of specially insulated tropical motors manufectured by the Tornowska foetory for North Vietnam and other For East countries,

The new "Poland First" policy of Genruika regime will seriously affect not only the economies of Russia and the other satellites but also cut a elzable slice off Russia's recent export drive in Asia and Africa, the economic experts said .- United Press.

# Statement

Paris, Dec. 16. The Bank of France statement for the week ended Dec.

reads as follows: gold holdings 301,204,302,426 Total reneles 14,925,074,520 87,982,000,000 Advance to Stabilisation Fund DO.BOO.000.000 Total bills discounted 1,690,126,990,148 Bank notes in circula-

## NAMESAKES

tion ..... 2,962,969,156,510

153,824,293,582

Current accounts and

Answers:—1 :Avon. 2 Enterfains, 3 Wedding, 4 Poet, 5 Theatre, 6 Stratford, 7 Cottage, 8 Church, 9 Arden, 10 Playwright, 11 Warwick, 12 Comedy.,

🕠 : Anne Hathaway,

## PHOTOGRAPHS

by our Staff Photographers

D.G.S. Prize Play Casam Club Annual Ball Juvenille Care Centre Ball Clementi School Prizegiving Wah Yan College Speech Day Y.M.C.A. Leaders Conference Sacred Heart School Speech Day Christmas Party at Kwong Wah Hospitali H.K. Concert Onchestra Christmas Concert St, George School Play at 33 General Hospital Red Cross Parties for Children of Haven Hope Christmas Parties at Sandy Bay Convalescent Home Quarry Bay School Christmes Party at Queen's College uvenile Care Centre Charity Ball Floor Show Rehearsal Chung Shing Benevolent Society Dinner at School Hall Opening Tung Wah School Sports by B.C.K. Hawkins St. John Ambulance Annual Dinner, Mainland Area Whitfield Barrack, Infant School Christmas Play Christmas Party at Union Church Kowloon 14.K. Olympic Team Returned at Kal Tak Skel Club Dinner, Party at Yacht Club St. John's University Alumni Ball

St. John's University Alumni Ball
Pharmaceutical Society Dinner
All Local Sports
Local Sports
Local Sports
Available

DECEMBER 17, 1956.

## One Of The Orchestra's Best Concerts To Date

Last night's concert by the Hongkong Concert Orchestra at the Ritz was one of the best which this body has given to date.

among the tables, added to the strings only could be considered. festivity.

However, apart from externals, it can be said that the items was outside its scope, and John all could see Mr Ardy's clear and steady beat, and the resulting unanimity was striking. | Syne,"

was some very good individual ner. E. Horabin on the oboe and from the first trumpeter when. Aubrey Winter: Overture ever he had a solo.

of the dexterity of Mr Poole on 1" and "Oklahoma"; "Spanish the xylophone and various other ('clour" ("La Cumparsita" and percussion instruments, Mr. Hay "El Relicario"); "Snowflakes" by del Val on the accordion for Frederick Charrosin, and medwhich he deserted his cello in leys of dances, songs and carols: the "Spanish Colour" number, a good send-off to the Christmas and Mr Fred Carpto on the season.-X.X. guitar

#### RICH TONE

Outstanding, however, was the rich tone of the violins. Particularly in the "Valse heard from this combination,

On the debit side, the tone of the orchestra as a whole is inclined to be rather unvaried. It plays with spirit and a swing, but always on the loud side, and there is hardly any shading of tone; nor was there a real "pinnissimo" or quiet passage, Polish PAP news agency re-(except the opening of the ported today "Hornpipe," which was most effective). This is largely due,

The packed audience was in a ligms, which were all gay, merry and receptive mood, and festive and vigorous. The inthe general atmosphere was clusten of one or two quieter most pleasant. A huge Christ- and more lyrical works would mas tree, and the large-sized be an advantage for future oc-Father Christmas wandering casions; perhaps a number for

#### THE VOCALISTS

orchestra gave a very good ac- the vocal items were Miss Beryl went into banking. After some count of itself. None of the North, Miss Iris Bass and Mr years, however, he decided to members of the orchestra were audience had its chance to take the late Mr Tester, established placed in positions from which part in the "Gay Nineties" sing- the broking firm of Tester and ing. Finally came the com- Abraham. munity carols and "Auld Lang which brought The balance was better than audience to its feet with crosson previous occasions, and there ed arms in the traditional mon-

playing, notably from Mr Ray The detailed programme was Abraham was successively Vice-Alarcon on the piccolo, Mr G as follows: March, "Passing of President and President over a the Regiments," arranged by period of more than 20 years. "Chal Romano" by Ketelbey; sidency two years ago he was Valse Medley; two xylophone Mention must also be made golos; music from "The King and Patron.

### Binoculars Stolen

A pair of binoculars was stolen from a private car parked Medley," the violins achieved a in Queen's Road, Central, bewarmth and sonorly never yet tween 2 p.m. and 5 p.m. vester-

> Paris, Dec. 16. Vladislav Gomulka, First Sceretary of the Polish Workers (Communist) Party, will be a candidate in the forthcoming parliamentary elections.

PAP said that Comulka would stand as candidate of course, to the nature of the Warsow.—France-Presse.

## DEATH OF MR EZRA ABRAHAM

One of Hongkong's best known personalities - Mr Abraham - passed at midday today in the St Paul's Hospital after

The late Mr Abraham, who was 76 years vol age, was born in Hongkong.

He received his education at The pleasant-voiced singers in Queen's College and after school Bass, and as usual the enter the Stock Market and with

He retired from active business two years ago.

A founder-member of the Kowloon Cricket Club, Mr to When he resigned from the Preelected the club's first Vice-

> The late Mr Abraham was for many years a prominent member of the St John Ambulance Brigade.

As a sportsman he was known in his younger days as a proficient tennis player and later he took a deep interest in racing. He was an old member of the Hongkong Jockey Club and with the late Mr Tester, and then with the late Mr Frank Goodwin, ran a string of ponies. The Tiger, The Wolf and The Dingo were three of his notable racers.

Mr Abraham was a life member of both the Kowloon Cricket Club and the Hongkong Cricket Club. He was largely instrumental after Liberation for the quick rehabilitation of the KCC clubhouse and grounds. He also donated the Ezra Abraham Liberation Shield for which the KCC and KBGC meet annually at lawn bowls.

Mr Abraham leaves a widow, a sister, four nephews and two nieces to mourn his death.

#### By Galbraith SIDE GLANCES



"I had every bit of my shopping done before Thanksgiving -now I can't catch the Christmas spirit!"

## Radio H.K. and Rediffusion

Market Report; 6, Time Signal, Programme Summary; 6.02, Popular the News; 7.09, Commentary or Stop Press Item; 7.18, Melodies and and his Orchestra with Frederick Harvey, Doris Gambell, John Mitand BBC Chorus; 7,45. "Tulking about Books", "Memories" by Ethel Barrymore. 'A little bit of String' by Elialine Terriss. Reviewed by Eric O'Neil Shaw; 8, "My Fair Lady". Percy Faith and his

5.30, "Talking about Teaching Popular Musical play by Lerner Ares and Stages-Five and Loews; 8.30, Colony Jazz Club, to Eleven. The Primary School- Introduced and Produced by Ray Taking it all Round; 6.55, Stock Hammilton, Hal Lorenzo (Pigno) Frank Forseka (Bass) Terry Miles (Vibes) Ray Cordelro (Drums) Harmony: 6.30, Classical Requests Rudi Sousa (Guitar) Howard Champresented by Alleen Dekker; 0.59, | berlain (Clarinet); 9, Time Signal, Weather Report: 7. Time Signal and | The News and Home News from Britain; 9.15, "Lections plays for Two" Erresto Lections at the Piano; Memories (BBCTS), James Turner | 9.30. A Recital by Esther Chow (Soprano) With Piano Accompaniment by Moya Rea Compiled by Chi Li Chung Hongkong, Ombra Mai Fu' (Handel), 'Secreey' (Hugo Wolf), 'The Vain Suit' (Brahms), 'Amour,' Viens alder (C. Saint-'L'amour est un (Bizet). Moon' Three Wishes (Wang). Rose' (Wang Tze), 9.40, Zino Francescatti (Violin) Max Lanner (Phono); 10. Britain Sings The Sheftesbury Male Voice Choir, Conductor, Wil-Perkins and his "Pops" Orchestra; 10.30. Time Goon Show (BBCTS). Peter Sellers, Harry Secombo and Spike Milligan in "Scradje'. (Repent of last Saturday's Broadcast); 10.59, Weather Report; 11, Time Signal. Radio News Reel; 11.15, Goodnight Music; 11.30, Close Down.

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2 p.m. Variety Calls the Tune: 2, Musical Metinese Featuring Erroit Gamer and the Art Van Damme Quintet: 3.30, Musice by Lopez—With Guest Stars, 4, Romances of the World — Marie Louise: 4.16, Music for Christmas—A Programme of Yuletide Facts, Fancies and Holiday Music; 4.30, Biritidy Instrumental: 8, Children's Corner—Stories of the Kingdom's 6.30, Monday Requests — Presented by Betty; 8.53, Biritiday Mailbag; 6.

La Musique Francaise — Presented by Jeannette Piry; 6.30, The Tops in a both.

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The mother of the deceased witness said the crowd eventually broke open the door and he saw several persons the occused did not talk to each enter the store led by the deceased been detained by the Police.

Chinese women in Conneartht Road, Central, at about 8.15

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## Student On Trial For Alleged Manslaughter

conscious," sobbed Pau Mei-po, mother of the deceased in her evidence in the Criminal Sessions morning, that the Full this morning at the trial of Lam Chung-mo, 19, a student, for the manslaughter of Yeung Yue-chiu, courage Courts to pass aged seven, at 372 Hennessy Road, on October 19 lenient sentences for the

Witness told the Court that the accused and her son did not talk to each other "at ordinary

Pau cried throughout the course of her testimony which occupied more than half an hour.

Both accused and deceased Road.

The trial of Lam is being afterwards the accused opened and two women.

Insp. Wong Shui-chong, is proand Ko.

that the deceased boy was seven floor. The front portion was occupled by the principal tenant, Lal Yung, the mother of the necused.

About 5 p.m. on October 19. an amah employed by the perents of the deceased saw deceased doing some school work in the sitting room as she went out to do some shop-

A short time afterwards the mother of the deceased, Pau Mel-po returned home. She rang the door bell several times but received no answer. She into the cocklost," witness said, tried to open the door with her latch key but the lock did not

then went down to the first floor liam Boyd (BBCTS); 10.15, Frank of the premises where accused's mother kept a furniture shop, The two women went upstairs and tried to get into the flat but

#### were unable to do so. OPENED BY ACCUSED

About 5.25 p.m. the father of the deceased returned; he also tried unsuccessfully with his hospital in an ambulance. latch key to open the door. A

When accused was questioned

the Police, to the effect that he malicious damage to a midio slapped the deceased because set and other property valued the child cursed him with the at \$582. result that deceased fell down | Complainant in his testimony unconscious. Then the doorbell told the court that on the started to ring and he took the night of the incident he deceased into the bathroom and his twife were in the store where he washed his face with which they also used as their water from a pipe. The small living quarters. boy did not recover conscious. Witness said that he saw a ness, accused's statement went growd approaching his store at on, and as the doctbell was still about 3.a.m. on October 12. He ringing accused carried the child heard them shout "open the door, up to the cockloft and put him open the door," Witness said he in an empty, bathtub in the hope he would recover con-

"My son was inside a tub; he was un-

times."

Her husband returned about lived with their parents on the this time, said witness, but he second floor of 372 Hennessy | was also unsuccessful in opening the door. A few moments

heard before Mr Justice J.R. the door from inside and in Gregg and a Jury of ave men answer to his mother's question why he had taken so long had Mr M. Morley-John. Crown | said that he was having a bath. Counsel, assisted by Det. Sub- They all entered the flat.

secution. Accused is defended her son but failed to find him. by the Hon, Leo d'Almada, QC, She asked accused if he had of drug seized, in view of the and Mr Patrick Yu, both in- seen the deceased. Accused structed by Messrs Lau, Chan replied: "How do I know where your son is? Can't he Mr Morley-John told the Jury | go down the street himself?"

She then went down to the years old and lived with his market to look for the deceased, parents in the reer portion of witness said. On the way she 372 Hennessy Road, second met her amah and they both returned home and renewed her search. "I went into the bathroom.

saw some water on the wooden cover of the closet and I saw a wet shee-print on the board. I looked up and I saw a ladder against the cocklost," witness STOOD ON LADDER

Mr Morley-John asked, "Then what did you do?" "I stood on the cover and looked up myself. I could not see anything. Then I stood up on the ladder and looked up

erying bitterly. She continued: "Then I saw the green trousers which my Crown Counsel said that Pau son was wearing and I also saw his woollen waistcoat. He was inaido a tub. He-was un-

conscious." Witness said she shouted to her husband who brought the boy down and ettempted artifi-

cial respiration. Later, witness said, she ac-companied the deceased to

## Hearing is continuing. Alleged Mob Leader

Pau and her husband looked Faces Charges A 19-year-old youth identified as the leader of a mob that

broke into a goods store at 4. Shum Tocung, Tsun Wan, at 3 a.m. on October 12 stood trial before Mr K. R. Macree at Control Magistracy this morning. Cheung Ching-kwong, decotton yarn factory in Tsun Wan, is charged with burglary and the theft of \$455, in cash and goods valued at \$1,486.70 the property of Fu Cheungshing proprietor of the store.

Cheung is also charged with

about 3.a.m. on October 12, Ho refused and the crowd kicked at

the door. DOOR BROKEN DOWN-

A pair of gold carrings was reason was her son was afraid recognise defendant because he motehed from a 60-year-old of the accused who used to tell had known him for a year. Chinese woman in Poplar him to go away if he was found Defendant worked in a cotton in the sitting room by the yarn factory, witness said. in the sitting room by the accused.

Sile left home about 1.50 p.m.
on October 19 and returned shortly after 5 o'clock. She rang the doorbell several times with out answer. She then called to ther servent and recolving no response shouted for her young wilness said he and his wife ran out of the store and tild themselves outside.

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## Drug Traffickers Courts Are Requested Not To Be Lenient

Mr Justice M. J. Hogan, Chief Justice, declared, in Court did not wish to en-"very, very serious offence" of possession of dangerous

The appellant, Nam Chi-ching, had been given five years' hard labour by Victoria District Judge James Wicks for possession of 2.2 pounds of heroin,

The Chief Justice, who sail with Mr Justice T. J. Gould and Mr Justice C. W. Reece, told the prisoner that the Full Court was satisfied that the sentence was not manifestly excessive.

"We do not think we are justified in interfering with the sentence," he said. His Lordship added that the Court did not think that sen-Witness said she looked for tences should be passed in these cases according to the amount

> gravity of the offence, Nam was represented by Mr Patrick Yu, instructed by Mr L. J. d'Almada Remedios, of J. M. d'Almada Remedios and Co. Mr D. F. O. Mayne, Crown

Counsel, represented the Crown, SENTENCES COMPARED Appealing against the sentence earlier, Mr Yu said Nam had been given five years—the maximum sentence in the Dis-

trict Court. Counsel referred to two recent drug cases. In the first case, a man convicted of possession of 146 pounds of raw opium and five pounds of morphine was given three years. In the record, the accused was given five years for possession of 14 pounds 3 ounces of morphine.

Mr Yu submitted that the sentence against the appallent .who was charged with possession of a quantity of horoin many, many times smaller than the other two-appeared to be manifestly excessive. Also, Counsel said, this was

his client's first offence. The evidence was that he had been told by someone else to carry the drug. FOR EXPORT TO US

in reply, Mr Mayne sold the appellant was bound for the United States in the vessel Ventura when arrested. He was a new member of the crew and it seemed that the drug was for export to America.

Crown Counsel said that perhaps it might be "a consolution to us here in Hong-kong" to learn that the heroin was not for use here. But, he said, he thought the Colony had a high duty to other nations, particularly members of the United Nations, in helping to stop the drug traffic.

Mr Mayne said it might have been that in the two previous were extenuating circumstances. But he submitted that the sentence in the present case was not excessive. A person engaged in such

drug traffic, ha said, deserved the maximum penalty. Mr Yu, rejoined that his instructions were that the appellant was not a member of the crew of the ship.

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